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Hurvitz takes the helm at Treasury, Ehrlich now second deputy premier

Yigal Hurvitz (State List) yesterday took the oath of office to become the second finance minister in the course of the Likud government of Prime Minister Begin. Earlier in the day, the Knesset approved Hurvitz'a appointment as well as that of his predecessor Simha Ehrlich to the post of deputy prime minister. The Knesset vote on the appointments

Hurvitz identified himself in the oathtaking: "...son of Bella Dayan and Yona Hurvitz, members of the Second Aliya ... "

Only two of the Democratic Movement's eeven deputies were present for the vote: Justice Minister Shmuel Tamir and Binyamin Halevy. Banai and Poalel Aguda abstained, and Samuei Flatto Sharon voted with the coalition.

The statement by Nablus Mayor Bassam Shak'a justifying the terrorist murder of the passengers on the coastal highway hus in March, 1978 occupied a prominent part in the debate (see separate story.)

Alignment Chairman Shimon Peres was the first speaker in the debate on the brief statement read by Begin asking the Knesset to confirm the two appointments.

Peres said the government

needed a reoriantation, not a reorganization. But even what it cailed a "reorganization" was nothing more than "a plugging of

The government had hrought about the erosion of Israei's status in the world and among world Jewry, Psres sald. And, as against the government's "lack of policy," the prestige of the PLO was rising

meteorically, hs said. Where was the government's

DM, backs

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High Court

By SARAH HONIG

Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. - A relaxed and confi-

dent Simha Ehrlich began his tenure

as deputy prime minister yesterday

with a corrosive attack on the

Democratic Movement, strong sup-

port for the High Court judgment on Eilon Moreh, and a warning that

more than just a reshuffle is needed

to keep the Likud in office for its full

ietter of appointment from Minister Menahem Begin which seemed to

give him sweeping powers over a

wide range of government activities,

placing him much closer to the cen-

tre of affairs than the other deputy

The letter Indicates Begin bas

premier, the DM's Yigaei Yadin.

made his Likud coileague responsi-

ble for implementing government

and ministerial committee

decisions, for contacts with the Arab

sector, and with Jewish people and

He will also chair three ministerial

committees, on relations with the

Common Market, on transferring

aothority on particular matters from

ons ministry to another, and on

Ehrlich stressed the centrality of

ish acttlement in Galilee. .

the last-named task, saying he had

specifically asked for it because "the

Judaization of Galilee is more im-

portant than meaningless settlement

demonstrations in Judea and

Ehrlich iashed out fiercely at

Yadin's Democratic Movement for

the absence of five of its Knesset

members from the vote on the

government reshuffle yesterday

afternoon. He warnad that the DM

"had better decide whether it is in or

out of the coalition. It is unthinkable

that a party with such a larga

cubinet representation cannot

mobilize the few MKs that it has to

vote with the government." Ehrlich said that if this ever

happened again, "I will demand that

the prime minister invoke the coali-

tion regulations and toil the three

DM ministers that if they have no

control at all over their party MKs,

iet them (leave) the government. I

am not afraid if they quit. Such things have happened in the past and

we cannot have this bypocrisy of en-joying the best of both worlds."

in the government reshuffle are in-creasingly hitter about the DM's

over-representation in the cabinet.

The DM bae half as many

The former finance minister warn-

ed that he and his fellow Liberals

"are unhappy over the fact that

there is now no chance to put

together a viable information

ministry. We are not vegetarians

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Knesset seats as the Liberals.

The Liberals, who lost a portfolio

organizations in the Diaspora.

man contradicts in the afternoon what Sharon has said in the morning?" Though there was "no foreign ministry (sic) ," there were, two foreign policies.

Zalman Shoval (Likud-La'am) called for a re-assessment of all measures taken beginning with the adoption of the New Economic Policy in October 1977, to determine their effect and effectiveness.

He said that the cabinet changes would achieve nothing if the government did not generate a united effort to put the sconomy on its feet.

Pinhas Schsinman (National Religious Party) urged the members of the government to establieb oper relations between themselves and to stop insulting one another.

Mochs Meron (Likud-Liberals)

eaw the cabinst changes as strengthening the government, and charged the opposition with being interested only in bringing about the

government's downfall. Binyamin Halevy (DM), a former Supreme Court justice, said that the constitutional arguments raised against the amendment to the Basic Law to enable the appointment of a second deputy premisr were non-

The matter was strictly technical, and no constitution in the world laid down the number of deputy premiers. All such "technical" provisions should be deleted from the Basic Laws, Halevy said.

Mnrdschai Virshnbaki (Sbai) faulted the prime minister for not baving told the House bow the reorganization was supposed to improvs the functioning of the govern-

Amnn Linn (Likud-La'am) appealed to the Alignment not to trip np the new finance minister by fomenting unrest in the public. If they did so, they would bring about

the collapse of the economy.

Geula Cohan (Banai) said 'with sorrow" that the empty seat that had to he filled was that of the prime minister. That seat was empty, and consequently so were all other cabinet seats. Hurvitz'e esat, too,

would "continue to be empty."

Avrahan Sharir (Likud-Liberals) said that the Alignment was hardly in a position to throw stones at the government'e reorganization. It had a iong history of coalition deals, "which no comadian nesd be asham-

ed of.' Shulamit Aloni (Citizens Righto Movement) urged Hurvitz to ea-tablish n national committee composed of government and Histadrut representatives to transfer 30,000 redundant public empleyees te

Yigal Allun (Alignment) said that with all the resbuffling of cabinet seats, the most important one, that of foreign minieter, 'remains orphaned.' He urged Begin not to boid on to this portfolio himself but to appoint immediately the best candidate among his supporters. The government was causing the dis-mambarment of the foreign ministry, he said.

The prime ministor's reply, like his opening statement, was very brief. His main point was to criticize Pares for having blamed the govern-ment for the PLO's rising star. The two leaders of the Socialist

International (Bruno Kreisky and Willy Brandt) bad not only invited Yasser Arafat to meet with them, but had urged other countries to do so, Begin said. But be would never think of blaming the Labour party's delegation to the Socialist Inter-

Ehrlich hits Index-linked bonds rise as Hurvitz reassures investors

Yigal Hurvitz's statements yesterday morning that there would be no changes in foreign currency regulations and there would be no tax imposed on index-linked bonds caused most index-linked bonds to rise by about 3 per cent.

There had been a massive selling of bonds in recent sessions. However, prices have ramained relatively unchanged due to the ac-tive intervention of the Bank of Israel. Before the central bank's invoivement, prices had fallen sharp-

There were indications official confirmation - that the Bank of Israei was in the market, yesterday, as a buyer to assure ris-

were less than half of the all-time record amount recorded on Tuesday. Analysts axpect additional gains to be made today in the prices of index-

... Although the foreign currency "buying binge" abated considerably yesterday, the price of the dollar still rose by 26 agorot. In the past three days the dollar has risen by 84

Meshel warns on gov't cuts

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Histadrut Sscretary-Gsnerai Yeroham Meshel yesterday warned the new finance minister, Yigal Hurvitz, against making drastic cuts in government services and in-

Commanting on Hurvitz's statement that painful cuts are to be expected, the labour leader said: "I don't want to see a government whose motif is the butcher's knife." Mssbei was intervlawed on television's Moked programme. Mesbel sald the Histadrut would fight a policy of unemployment to

By WOLF BLITZER

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — Egyptian Ambassador Ashraí Ghorhai bas

welcomed President Jimmy

Carter's decision to replace Middle

East special envoy Robert Strauss

with diplomatic troubleehooter Sol

Linowitz. But U.S. officials were still

uncertain hew other Arabs will

"I personally know Sol Linowitz cli," Ghorbal said. "We have had

frequent contacts over the past few

years and have developed a close

friendship, I feet Sol Linowitz has no

On Tuesday, Linowitz, who is

curb inflation. The labour federation would cooperate in measures to create new jobe to prevent un-employment, but Meshel warned the masses will rise against a policy of

Mesbei also servad notice that the Histadrut wili organize demonstrations and strikes if the government tries to introduce compulsory arbitration, and it will resist any cut in real wages.

cooperate with the government and ampioyers in drawing up a new economic policy based on social justice and equality.

Jewish, was aiready buey in a

seventh-floor State Department of-

fice beginning to prepare himself for

Unlike Strauss, who tried to avoid

the department, preferring instead

to work out of the White House,

Linowitz is seen bere as a much

more traditional dipiomat who will

work more closely with the depart-

on new challenges and that's what excites me about this assignment."

Linowitz, 65, said, "I know it'a going

to be terribly difficult. It will require

a lot of patience and ecnsibility. But

the gratification would be greal if

'I've spent much of my life taking

his new assignment.



Ofira Navon walks hand in hand with her husband President Yitzhak Navon and their children Eres and Nira upon her return to Beit Hanassi in Jerusalem after a two-week medical treatment in (Rahamim Ylsraeu) Boston, Massachusetts.

linked bonds.

agorot, or by about 2.7 per cent, in relation to the Israel pound. Many ahares on the Tei Aviv Stock

Exchange dropped by 3-5 per cent. Security dealers in the Tel Aviv commercial banks indicated that not all of the funds being realized from the index-linked bonds. Besidea conversions into foreign currency, there has been some increase in consumer durabis purchases in recent days.

mempiovment.

But the Histadrut is prepared to



won't see Weizman

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT

Jerusalem Post Reporter Elion Moreh's representatives yesterday were refusing to meet Defence Minister Ezer Weizman, but said they would like to talk to Prime Minister Menabem Begin about the

future of their settlement. Weizman had been instructed by the Ministerial Security Committee to try to reach an understanding with Ellon Moreh's residents on where they would move until their scitiement is re-established somewhere else in Samaria. The meating had been acheduled for today but the settlers yesterday afternoon phoned the minister's office and said it was

Benny Katsover, the settlers' leader, claimed that Weizman'e opposition to Jewisb cettiement on the West Bank and his insistence on removing Eilon Moreb would only worsen the scitlers' relations with the government.

Ellon Moreh'e leaders obviously knew Weizman would Insist they move to comply with the Higb Court ruling that they vacate land belonging to 17 Arab villagers from Rujeib. The Defence Ministry wanto them to move te one of thres Nabal henhauyot (outposts) in the Jordan Valley or to a heahouf on the Nabius-Jenin road. But Eilon Moreh's residents are adamant that they wili not budgs.

It is still not clear whether Begin would meet the settlers or delegato someone else to deal with them. Meanwhile, the National Religious Party is trying to work out a solution

whereby the settlars move directly to Jebel Kebir, northeast of Nablus. where their permanent settlement is likely to be established. But Eilon Moreh's leaders have rejected the suggestion.

Hammer tries to heal rift of Weizman and Sharon

By ASHER WALLFISH Jerusalem Post Reporter

With a fierce row icoming between Defence Miniater Ezer Weizman and Agriculture Minister Ariei Sharon, Education Minister Zevulun Hammer has been working overtime to avert a final break between the two men before Sun-day's cabinet meeting.

Weizman and Sharon are at loggerheads over the future of the Eilon Moreb group, ordered to quit its site in a fortnight's time by the High Court, and over future settle-ment plans in Judea and Samaria generally. Both of them upbraided Premier Members Begin on Tuesday - each fearing that Begin was veering under pressure over to the

Hammer has met with Welzman and Sharon in the past two days to try to convince them that their stands are really not ao far apart, but he has had only limited success. He plans to meet them again before Sunday's crucial cabinet session, which was fixed a fortnight ago to discuss overall settlement plans.

Hammer told The Jerusalem Post yesterday that the differences between the settlement programme already tabled by Sharon in the cabinet - but not yet debated - and the one presented by the defence minister many weeks before that were not fundamental. Hammer said they envisaged the eame areas in the main, although they proposed different types of settlements in

Hammer said the NRP would not he tabling lie own eettlement programme. "I feel close annugb to Wolzman's concepts to be able to suggest hie settlement plan as a viable basis," Hammer said.

Weizman, like many of his cabinet collsagues, wants the Elion Moreb group to be kept entirely separate from a discussion of future settlement plans. Sharon holds that there must inevitably be linkage between the two issues, and that It is precisely this linkage which ceuid persuade the group te accept its evacuation peacefully. Hammer is understood to fear that

if the future of the Eilon Moreh group is not linked to the overall settlement plans, most settlers in morally obliged to rush to the aid of Ellon Moreh and create a living wali Kennedy enters race officially

Kennedy, saying he is compelled to

run by the "stark failurse" of Presi-

dent Jimmy Carter's leadership.

yesterday formally announced that

he will aeek the 1980 Democratic

The 47-year-old Kennedy declared

"I take the course compelled by

events and by my commitment to

public life, he said in prepared

remarks. "Today, I formally an-

nounce that I am a candidate.
"The fallures are stark," Kennedy

one could achieve a breakthrough."

Canal negotiator and ambassador io

the Organization of American

States, has only been to the Middle

East twice, both times in the com-

pany of businese leaders on a tour

arranged by "Time" magazine. The

first visit caused seme controveray

because several members of the

delegation, including Linowitz, felt

that then-prime minister Yltzhak

Rabin and his government had not

done a very goed job in conveying

Tuesday that Linowitz, a top

Wushington lawyer, had been

"The New York Timee" reported

iernel's ease.

Linowitz, the former Panama

his candidacy in historic Fancuil

Hall one year before the election.

presidential nemination.

Egyptian ambassador pleased

Linowitz preparing for Middle East role

Iran won't meet Carter's delegation

Khomeini demanding

Demonstrators mill yesterday ontside the U.S. Embassy in Teheran, where Iranian students are holding 60 Americans hostage to press demands for U.S. extradition of the shah to Iran.

Weizman tells Knesset:

'Measures' planned if mayor favours terror

Defence Minister Ezer Weizman promised the Knesset yeeterday that be would "take measures" against Nablus Mayor Bassam Sbak'a if the statement attributed to him in the press yesterday — that he identifies fully with the perpetrators of the Coastal Road massacre in March 1978 — Is correct.

Shak'a reportedly told Aluf Danny Matt, coordinator of activities in the administered territories, that acts of terrorism such as the Coastal Road incident — in which 34 people were killed and 72 were wounded — were justified as iong as the problem of the Palestinians remained unsolved. The remarks were made during a conversation about the Israeli occupation,

Weizman intervened in the debate on the new cabinet appointments after three Knesset members had raised the subject. Geula Coben and Mosbe Shamlr of Banal vociferously demanded a government statement on the incident as soon as Prime Minister Menahem Begin mounted the rostrum to announce the cabinet changes.

Then, Alignment chairman Shimon Perea, the first speaker in the debate, faulted the government for fiddling with cabinet reorganization while the administered areas were burning. Witness the government's failure to react to

Shak'a's statement, Peres said. Weizman said that be had learned of Shak'a'a alleged statement from yesterday'a "Ha'aretz" and had immediately asked for a report from Matt. According to Defence Ministry aourcee. Weizman was irritated with Matt for not telling him of the meeting immediately after it took

The two men met yeaterday and Matt reported the encounter with

Weizman repeated to the Knesset that action would be taken against Shak'a (this time not adding any proviso). He then urged the public to avoid hot-headedness and to maintain a proper sense of balance in the effort to achieve satisfactory coexistence with the Arabs of Judea and Samaria.

He disputed Peres' statement that the situation in the administered own description of the situation was reasonable, though it could be

better,' Begin said in his reply to the debate that the first thing he had done yesterday morning when be arrived at the Knesect was to ask Welzman to investigate the newspaper report and "draw con-

Urt Avnery (Shell) said he had obtained Shak a's vereloo of bis remarks, which he said confirmed in essence what had been reported in the press. Avnery said that the action of the Cosstal Road terrorists should be denounced, but so should the actions of war criminals — even if they are in an Israel Defence Forces uniform - against defenceless civilians.

Amnon Rubiustein (Sbal) deciared that Shak'a's statement could not be passed over in allence. Words were sometimes equivalent to acts, par-ticularly when uttered by someone in Shak'a's position. The Knesset must reset to these shocking remarks, he

Melr Cohen |Likud-Herut | and Geula Coben and Moshe Shamlr (Banai) submitted urgent motions for the agenda to the Knesset speaker on the aubject.

Yosef Rom and David Stern (Likud-Herut) requested Weizman to take the atrongest posable

measures against Sbak'a. Ben-Zlon Rubin (Nationa Religioua Party) submitted a parliamentary question to Weizman on the eubject.

The diacuseion between Matt and Shak's, in the presence of other army officers, was about a well drilled by the IDF in the area of Nabius. Shak'a had refused to allow residents of his city to receive water from the weil, despite the water shortage they faced. Shak'a'a refusal is apparently part of a wider trend to prevent realdents of the Weet Bank and Gaza from accepting benefits from the military govern-

Peace Now yesterday joined condemnatione of Shak'a's reported statements, saying that they as well as remarks by extremists on the Israeli side are endangering peace prospects in the region.

and sistere who were in Israell jalis and that they biamed Israel for the

Shak'a won't comment dos had come te free their brothers

Sbak'a, who reportedly justified the Coastal Road massacre of March 1978 ln a talk with officials of the military administration, yesterday refused to comment directly on whether or not he identifies completely with the terroriats who perpetrated it.

In an interview with Itim's West Bank correspondent, he said the Coastal Road incident was an act like any other of the "Palestinian commandoe." He said the comman-

said, the U.S. has been "sinking into

the centre of power. Aims are not

eet. The means of realizing them are

neglected. Conflicta in direction con-

fuse our purpose. Government faiters, and fear spreads that our

leaders have reaigned themselves to

With hia bid, Kennedy is seeking to

do what no one has done in this cen-

tury - unseat an incumbent presi-

Cnrter's first choice - before Strauss - as Middle East envoy. But

Linowitz then decided the "time

wasn't propitious" to accept

Linowitz is expected to retain

Seme State Department efficials

James Leonard as his chief deputy in

the autenomy negotiations and much

ef the etaff assembled by Strauss.

fear that the Linowitz appointment

might further upset the Jordanians,

Palestiniana, Saudis and other critics of the Camp David approach.

But While House officials are confi-

dent that Linowilz will quickly

reassure them that he will be "fair"

dent of his own party.

Carter's offer.

in the negotiations.

"We hear no clear summons from

BOSTON (UPI). — Sen. Edward sald in a ringing attack on Carter's Kennedy, saying he is compelled to indministration. Under Carter, he

retreat."

slaughter that resulted. Regarding the reports of his etatements te Aluf Danny Matt, coordinator of activities for the administered territoriee, Shak'a said it was the first time the military administration had bothered to

the territories. According to Shak'a, the conversa-tion was held at Matt's initiative, and was one of a series of talks the ceerdinator has been having with leaders in the territories. The conversation began in a free and relaxed atmosphere, he sald, and included

publicize a declaration by a mayor in

debate on various subjects.
"Responding to the coordinator'e queetien," said Shak'a, "I said that as leng as the occupation exists, and by force, and as long as Israel fights the Palestinians in South Lebanon. destroya villages and wipee out entire families, and as long as there Is a military precence in the territorics, and the arrests and acitlements continue, and all the prisona arc full of Paleatlnian prisonera - there le no force in the world that will prevent armed actions by the Palestialan organizations, like the one on the Coastal Road."

(AP reported yesterday that by chance, a reporter interviewed Shak'a in his Nablus office on Tuesday afternoon and asked about bis niceting with Matt two hours carlier. Shak'a said that Israeli reporters already had called him asking about Mall's necount of the meeting and he had told them lo accept the Ieraeli generni's version.

The mayer ecemed surprised. hewever, at the words which had been attributed to him. Asked what he had told Matt about the Coastal Rend altack, Shak'a replied, "as leng as the occupation lasts, they have to expect this.")

Shak'a told Itlm: "The activities of the Palestinian cemmandos are designed by organizations, but the crimes against the Palcetiniane are organized by a slate which wishes to with nut a nearle."

shah for 60 hostages Ayatoliah Ruholiah Khomeini yesterday ordered his ruling Revolutionary Council and all state officials not to meet with a U.S. delegation that was en route to Teheran to negotiate the release of 60 Americans held hostage by iranian students in the U.S. Embassy here. The delagation halted its trip in Athens iast night, awaiting word whether the Iraniane would meet

> "Neither I nor the Revolutionary Council must meet any of them, Khom cini declared.

> The delegation is headed by former U.S. attorney general, Ramsey Clark, who met with Khemeini iast January in Parls. Farsi-speaking Senate intelligence committee advisor William Miller is with Clark and they are carrying a messege from President Jimmy Carter to the Iranian cieric.

> 'If the U.S. givss the sbah back to Iran and stops esplonage egainst the revolution, the way to negotiation whii be open in seme cases." Khomelni said.
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> But the U.S. has firmly rejected

any Iranian proposal to return the shah, who is undergoing medical treatment at a New York heepital fer a cancerous growth, to Iran, where he is certain to face execution.

it was the shah's surprise hospitalization in New York that eparked the student demonstretion that ended with the takeever of the U.S. Embassy on Sunday. The Iranian authorities ncknewledged for the first time

yesterday that the U.S. Charge d'Af-faires Bruce Laingen has been at the Foreign Ministry eince the embassy was stormed. Laingen was not in the embassy when it was taken over. The official Pars News Agency sald the Revolutionary Council has

ordered militlamen to reinforce their guard around the ministry because the security of the diplomat and his two aldes is the reepousibility of the government.

The students occupying the embassy yesterday issued instructions that foreigners in Iran, including Americans, are not to be harassed or

But the Carter administration has advised U.S. companies to evacuste their American staff from Iran. saying it can no longer provide them with normal consular protection. "We believe it only a prudent

American personnel in Iran to begin moving their personnel out of Iran in an orderly and quiet fashion" the statement said. About 300 to 500 American company employees are now in Iran, a

measure for American firms with

The students at the embassy have threatened to kill the American hostages if Washington tries to free them by force. But the State Department has stressed that the Carter administration will take no such action.

Informed sources in Belrut said yesterday that a "wish-powered" Palestine Liberation Organization delegation was going to Iran to help ensure the safety of the bostages. Observere there were reported to believe that the PLO might be the

only organization that the regime would listen to. Reports from Beirut Indicated that the PLO — which has been recently alert to diplomatic chances — view-

ed an involvement in the Teheran episode as a golden opportunity for maximum returns at minimum According to these reports, the

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TARGETS. The Histadrut's Yaroham Maehel talks abeut inflatien, unemployment and Yigal Hurvitz's economic plans with Merk



THEO POLITICS. Abraham Rabinovich explores the fine distinctions of dogma and dress in Jerusalem's ultra-Orthodox com-

TOWNS. Alan Elsner finds out about a satellite city's (mancial

TOMES. Jacob Nousner compares Jewish scholarship in Israel and the Diaspora

TARTS. Yoram Sar checks out the streets el Tei Aviv

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All this and mere in tomorrow's



Katz may ask DM to quit Jerusalem Post Reporter

Colleagues of Labour Minister Israel Katz say that if the cabinst rejects his proposal for bigher weiterc allowances when he brings the subject up again on Sunday, he will propose that bis Democratic Movement party quit the coalition. The cabinet rejected the proposal this week, but Prime Minister Menahem Begin has agreed to dis-

cuss it again on Sunday.

Kalz's colleaguee told The Jerusalem Post that the ministers were apparently too occupied with costly settlement schemes to worry about the plight of the poor.

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN Post Finance Reporter TEL AVIV. - Finance Minister

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Tiran Straits

Knesset Speaker Yitzbak Shamir met yesterday with a dalegation of California senators and legislators, led by Jesse Unruh.

Dr. George Wise viaited Haifa University this week and met with President Gershon Avner and faculty members.

posium on the insurance business in Israel today at 4.80 p.m., ln auditorium 324. Among the participants are Supreme Court Justice Halm Cohn, the Insurance Commissioner, Ben-Ami Zuckerman, and Migdal Binyan Insurance Company's board chairman, Yehuda Grinherg.

A lecture in memory of Dr. Louis Sternberg, an expert on allergy and asthma who lived in New York, was delivered on Tuesday at the Hadassah University Hospital, Mount Scopus, by Hebrew University Professor Simon Godfrey in the presence of Mrs. Henrietta Sternberg, widow of Dr. Sternberg, and their daughter, Dr. Anita Sternberg. The lecture by Prof. Godfrey, chairman of tha department of pediatrics, was on advances in the management of childhood asthma.

There will be no lunch meeting of the Tel Aviv Rotary Club today. This evening at 3 o'clock there will be a dinner at the Tel Aviv Hilton, on the occasion of the official visit of Israel Rotary president, David Neuman. (Communicated)

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Ida Nudel gets medical checkup

By SARAH HONIG

Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. - In a surprise telephone call to her sister in Holon, Prisoner of Zion Ida Nudei said yesterday that ahe has managed to get a sorely needed medical checkup, but that she doesn't know whether she will get the thorough medical attention she needs.

Nudel, exiled for five years by the Soviets to Siberia for displaying a hanner outside her Moscow apartment asking for a visa to Israel, has been living under near insufferable conditions. Recent reports heve stressed her rapidly deteriorating

Nudel attributed ber unexpected checkup in the Siberian city of Tomsk to pressure from the West on the Soviets to allow "The Angel of

Nudel told her eister. Holon resident Bana Friedman, that she was calling from Tomsk. It was unclear from the telephone convergation whether Nudel will be returned to

her hamlet exile. Friedman yeeterday told The Jerusalem Post that Nudei aaid that she would try to get permission to at least stay in Tomsk, a city of 150,000. Nudei said that the doctor who ex-

amined her told her she is suffering from a heart condition with serious liver complications, as well as a gall hladder condition. The doctor said she would need further and more sophisticated tests which reportedly are available only in Moscow.

Nudel told her sister the permit to go to Tomsk was a surprise. She simply received a telegram one day summoning her there, Nudel said.

Egyptians to allow Israelis access to Sinai field school

Post Diplomatic Correspondent The Tsukei David Field School at Santa Katerina is to become an annex of an Egyptian university, and Egyptian students will mingle with Israelis there for studies and field trips. Thia was disclosed in Jerusalem yesterday by officials who were plainly pleased with the arrangement concluded by the joint mllitary committee.

Tsukei David, named after the late son of Justice Minister Shmuel Tamir, will retain its name after the Egyptian takeover. The school will be returned to Egypt along with the Santa Katerina area later this

Officials say Egypt is scrupulously observing the letter of the peaca treaty, and Israel has no complaints on that score. Full normalization, the officials recall, is only due to go into effect on January 26, 1980. It is only after that date — under the trea-

ty - that negotiations will begin on economic and cultural cooperation.
The visa tally to-date shows that Cairo has granted 1,100 entry visas to Israelis who have applied through the channel established between the two foreign ministries. (The applications are usually forwarded to the Foreign Ministry in Jerusalem

hy travel ageots and tour operators.)
A further 700 applicants have not yet received affirmative replies. The officials sald Cairo is now taking about one month on average to process an application.

Meanwhile, in anticipation of the exchange of ambassadors schaduled for February 26, the Foreign Ministry has prepared a hlueprint detailing the kind of embassy - in terms of size, scope and functions — that it would like to set up in Cairo. Any arrangements will-have to be mutual, and a dialogue on the prac-tical arrangements is expected to

IDF bars Gaza mayor from Jordan visit

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Gaza Mayor Rashad Shawwa yesterday was denied permission to go to Jordan and other neighbouring Arah countries. He was scheduled to leave yesterday morning.

The military government authorities declined to disclose the reasons for stopping Shawwa from leaving. Nevertheless, they con-tested his claim that he had planned to travel to Arab capitals to discuss development projects in the Gaza

Strip. They sald that the Gaza mayor had spread the word among associates that he was beading for Beirut to meet PLO chief Yasser

The authorities and Shawwa have heen recently at odds over the incorporation of some of the government offices in the municipality. Shawwa maintains that the move is almed at bolstering tha Israel-Egyptian sponsored autonomy scheme, which be

Comptroller will check sale of Chagall medals

Jerusalem Post Reporter State Comptroller Yltzhak Nebenzahl yesterday agreed to check the operations of Korat Gag, the Ottoman eoclety established by businessman Meir Halevy to issue medallions that will be sold for the construction of young couples' hous-

el Kadlshal, who le hot! Prime Minister Menahem Begin's bureau chief and the chairman of Korat Gag, had asked the state comptrolier on Tuesday to supervise operations. Korat Gag bas been criticized by MKs and the press for asking for customs exemptions on gold imported for the minting of medallions designed by artist Marc

Nahenzahl decided to comply with the request after studying the facts and the legal aspects of the question - and in view of the fact thet Kadishai is a government official, that three rooms in the Prime Minister's Office are being used by Korat Gag, and that the customs exemption was requested.

If the comptroller finds any misconduct, be may ask Attorney-General Yitshak Zamir to deal with the matter.

EUROCUP. - Defending champions Nottingham Forest of England cruis-ed into the quarter-finals of the European Soccer Cup when they beat Arges Pitesti of Rumania 2-1 in a second round leg match in Pitesti yesterday.

Glickstein comes close to upsetting U.S. tennis ace

By JACK LEON Post Sports Beporter

TEL AVIV. — Israei's tennis star Sblomo Glickstein, 21, hit the sports headlines yesterday by taking a set off the world'e No. 2 player John McEnroe in Stockholm, before euccumbing in three sets to the top-seeded American ace in the \$175,000 Coigate Grand Prix tournament.

Undaunted by a 6-0 drubbing only 20 minutes in the opening eet of Tuesday's first round match, qualifier Glickstein came back 6-3 in the second. A sensational upset seemed possible as the Israeli champion led 2-0 and 3-1 in the final eet. But Mc Enroe, 19, held on to run out a 6-0, 3-6, 6-3 winner, in his quest to take his ninth Grand Prix singles crown of the year.
.Glickstein, who came through

three tough preliminary rounds to reach the 64-strong main draw, rated a headline in 'The New York Timea" for his magnificent effort. Tha BBC last night described his performance "hrilliant."

McEnroe - who hurst onto the international tennis scene when he reached the Wimhledon aemi-finals in 1977, as a qualifier — has earned well over a million dollara in prize money in only 15 months of professional competition. In the current Colgate Grand Prix standings, he is just behind four-time Wimbledon champion Bjorn Borg of Sweden, and well ahead of America's Jimmy Connors.

After just one year on the pro circuit, Glickstein is in 257th place among the more than 1,000 players listed in the ATP's (Association of Tennis Professionals) world singles

> WANTED. - An unidentified man, who used a stolen identity card with the name of Yosef Ya'acov Moore to open five separate accounte le wanted by Tel Aviv police.

> > By JUDY SIEGEL

Jerusalem Post Reporter

by the Broadcasting Authority to

supervise the IL16m. eo far pledged

for the Kampuchean refugees decided last night to send two TV staffers

and a TV-radio team to Thalland

The committee, headed by

Supreme Court Justice Zvi Beren-

son, will send TV floor manager

Peter Milik - who initiated the idea

for last Sunday night's teletbon — to the area on Sunday.

Milk will consult with Israel's am-

bassador to Thalland, Mordechal

Lador, and other officials and be

joined later in the week by another

Authority representative. They will

advise the committee on how to

iTheir expenses, at IL50,000 per

airline ticket, will be paid for by the

Authority and not come out of the

Mcanwhile, Ychuda Avner, an ad-

viscr to the prime minister who

heads the government's inter-

ministerial committee on the

refugees, has offered his com-

mittee's expertise to the other bodies

collecting money to assist the Kampuchcans. He urged that both Ierael TV and Abic Nathan, who is himaelf

spend the money raised.

TV's refugee fund.)

The public committee established

Navon cuts sentences of 4 soldiers

Post Military Correspondent

President Yitzbak Navon has granted a reduction in aentence to two IDF officers and two noncommissioned officers on the recommendation of the IDF advocate-general with the approval of Defence Minister Ezer Weizman. This was confirmed to The Jerusaiem Post by a Defence Ministry official last night.

Yesterday it was reported that the president had cut the sentences of two lieutenants, a sergeant and a corporal who had been convicted along with Sgan-Aluf Arye Sadeb in the murder of a terrorist during the Litant Operation.

The report, which the president's aides yesterday still refused to confirm, said that the president cut the sentences of the officers from 12 months to six, and of the two NCOs from nine months to four,

Previously all four bad appealed to Chief of Staff Ray-Aluf Rafael Eitan for a commutation of sentence. Eitan responded favourably in the case of the officers, cutting their aentence from 20 months to 12, but be refused to do so for the NCOs.

Eitsn had commuted Sadeh's sentence from five years to two-and-a-half, re-instated him to the rank of major after a military court had broken him to private.

The president's hureau yesterday refused to answer any questions on the lasue, on the grounds that the case had been heard in camers.

EHRLICH

(Continued from page 1) and will ask for another portfolio. It we do not get it relations in the cabinet are likely to be strained," be said, in an allusion to the DM.

In high spirits, Ehrlich confessed that he "still has to pinch myself every so often to make sure that I am really not finance minister any

When his successor, Yigal Hurvitz, returned to the cahinet room after a 131/2-month absence yesterday he congratulated him on his personal courage for taking on the Treasury joh. "When I hecame finance minister, it soon became clear to me that I did not know what the joh entailed. I will wait to see how Hurvitz wili react after having been in office for two months and theo I hope there will he agreement between us," he said, referring to Hurvitz's vigorous criticism of him during the past

Ehrlich had told the prime minister on October 16 that within a month he would resign anyway, with or without a government reshuffle. He bad no objections to Hurvitz' ap-pointment. "When I was in office I regarded myeelf as the best man. Now I am out, anyone acceptable to the rest of the cahinet is fine with

me." he said grudgingly.

Ehrlich gave the reshuffle three months to show results. If there is no 'change for the better, we will have to draw the appropriate con-clusions." He said that Begin had told him often that be doee not exclude the possibility of "going to the president in certain circumstances." But this would not necessarily mean new elections, as Begin would bimself ha prepared to form a naw government

The Liberal leader indicated firmly that there would be no new deputy ministers, saying the government was "hermetically sealed" against any such appointments. This is likely to upset his own party and its bigger Likud partner, Herut, both of whom feel under-represented in the

On Eilon Moreh, Ehrlich said when the question comes up in the cahinet he will demand that the High Court's ruling "he carried out to the letter and, if there is no choice. even with the use of force." Asked whether thie would lead to the resignation of Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon, Ehrlich retorted: "The resignation of one minister may make matters much easier for the

others." He stressed that in his view the vote on the abortion law amendment must remain a matter for the consciences of individual MKs, though as a signstory to the coalition agreement with Agudat Yisrael he himself is hound to vote for it in the Knesset. Ehrlich said he would not want to he a member of Hurvitz's proposed

economic mini-cabinet, but that Industry Minister Gideon Patt. a Liberal, must ex officio eit in it.

FARE. - Shimshon Zeorno, 24, of Bat Yam, was released on IL10,000 bond in Tel Aviv Magistrate Court yesterday after being charged with trying to use a counterfelt French driver's licence to ohtain an Israeli

Radio-TV crews going to Kampuchea

flying on Sunday to Thailand with

\$100,000 to huy food and supplies.

consult the committee's experts so

that aid can he adapted to the situa-

tion on the Thailand-Kampuchea

"TV was excellent at hringing the

refugees' suffering before the public,

but they need guidance about spen-

ding the money," Avner said. The government's public fund, ad-

ministered by the Centre for

Volunteer Services, has about IL 600,-

000 icft after sending two Israeli

medical teams and a large amount

of equipment and drugs to a refugee

using the experts in the inter-

ministerial committee, will help en-

sure that the necessary belo reaches

Nathan plans to hire 30 trucks

bearing signs in Thai and English

"From the People of Israel to the

People of Kampuchea" and carrying

whatever is needed by the refugees.

the land route into Kampuchea will

be open, and I'd like to be among the

first on it," Nathan told The Jerusalem Post. Nathan claimed

that Authority director-general

Yosef Lapid asked him yesterday to

hand over the money he (Nathan)

collected to the TV's fund, but

"I hope that by the time I arrive,

"The pooling of efforts all around.

camp in Thailand.

the refugees."

border.

Pupils of the Evelina de Rothschild elementary school in Jerusalem study under the open sky with a parent for a teacher, as a result of a dispute over the conduct of one of the teachers in the school. The parents vow to keep their children in the open-air classroom until the matter of the teacher is resolved. Meanwhile, rain is predicted for today.

vesterday that Nash began a series

of massive purchases with his stolen

'Visa' lands him in jail **Tourist's** the Tel Avtv Magistrate's Court

By YORAM BAR Jerusalem Past Reporter

TEL AVIV. - A British citizen, suspected of fraud and cheating thousands of doliars out of people in the U.S., Europe and Israel, was arrested here sarlier this week.

John Nash, 44, a London resident, arrived as a tourist about a month ago. The police allege that since then he managed to cheat over 35 husineeses with a "Visa" credit card, which Nash allegedly stole in London last July. Binyamin Ziegel, head of the polica fraud squad, has contacted Scotland Yard for information about Nash.

Police inspector Asher Shamir told

KHOMEINI

prospective payoffs may turn to be

immense: Should the terrorist leadership succeed in freeing the Americans, the PLO would score a world-wide publicity coup exceeding all the "moderation" stunts it has been staging in recent months.

Moreover, hy saving American lives, the Carter administration might find itself under a sort of irresistible domestic pressure to open some kind of dialogue with the

A hizarre mixture of carnival and religious fervour surrounded the occupied embassy compound in cen-tral Teheran

There was little tension despite the plight of the 60 American and 40 Asian bostages being beld blindfold inside. Anti-American students milled around the brick-walled compound

plastering It with muiti-coloured

posters, singing revolutionary songs and kneeling to pray every few A man in a black booth inside the main emhassy gate formerly occupled by a U.S. Marine guard started the chanting and ainging

with the help of a microphone and big loudspeakers along the front wall of the compound interspersed with loud taped music. . Young, kbaki-ciad Islamle revolutionary guards, armed with the G-3 automatic rifles taken from

the army during last February's revolution, patrolled the outside of the compound walls. Inside, behind the three-metre wall and the black heavy iron gates, only the religious students wbo

stormed the compound were visible. Most of the students and chadorrohed girls were armed with nothing more than walkie-talkie radios. A few had rifles taken from the em-

bassy's Marine guards.

Forty metres back from the main gate, the embassy's one-storey visa huilding is covered in red and hlue painted religious and snti-American slogans, with a 10-metre painting of Khomeini adorning the wall. At the centre of bundreds of cloth

placards and anti-American signs in Farsi and English bedecking the emhassy, hangs an Iranian flag embroidered with portraits of Khomeini and PLO chief Yassar Arafat. Opposite the embassy front gate, a

group of factory workers provided demonstrators with mugs of free "anti-imperialist tsa." Behind them stood a mock gallows from which hung doctored photographs of Carter istories - page 4) (UPI, AP, Reuter)

Nathan refused. Nathan pledged

that expenses for his trip will come

To counter those voices who belit-

tie the Kampuchea collections by

calling for helping Israel's poor first,

Nathan has pledged to donate ILlm .-

worth of assistance in library books,

ciothing and other equipment for

five dieadvantaged youth in-

stitutions run by the Tei Aviv

Avner, asked why all three funds couldn't he united into the TV's

colicctions, aaid that the law

prevents government money from

helng given to a private fund and

prohibits the government from

collecting money except through

A group of Jewish, Arab and Vici-

namesi children will well hallot

(Shalibut loaves) for the benefit of

the refugees between 3 and 7 p.m. to-

day putside the Hamasabir depart-

ment store in Jerwalem. Organized

by the municipality's volunteer unit

and the Centre for Volunteering Ser-

riers, the youngsters will sell about

4.000 faoves donated by the Angel

Alien Regin, the premier's wife,

and Tamar Kollek. the mayor's

wife, will be on hand between 4 and 5

taxes or a Knesect law.

out of his own pocket.

municipality.

credit immediately upon his arrival.
Shamlr aiso told Maglatrata.
Amikam Pialkov that the suspect used the credit card in Holland, West Germany, Switzerland, Belgium, Italy and the U.S. Nash was arrested after purchasing medicine and other products from a pharmacy on Rehov Dizengoff over a few consecutive

days. The pharmacy owner, who tried to collect payment, found out that the card was stolen.

The police instructed the phar-macy employees how to behave if

day, when Nash entered the pharmacy, the employees locked the doors hehind him and prevented him from leaving until police arrived.

The suspect bas denied charges, "I don't hold a credit card and have never cheated anyone. I am a sick man and must get medical treatment," he said.

The magistrate decided to extend the suspect's remand by nine days, but said he was doing so with a heavy heart because he helleved the suspect was ill. The magistrate ordered the police to allow the suspect to call the British Embassy.

remier is meeting frequently with

the Foralgn Ministry's director-general, Yosef Ciechanover, and

taking whatever ministerial-level

Ministry officials denied rumours

that they feal neglected and frustrated because they have no minister. They stressed that their work "goes on as normal." There is a perceptible air of reliev-

ed satisfaction in the ministry at Minister without Portfolio, Moshe

decisions are required.

Premier seen activating role as acting foreign minister

Post Diplomatic Correspondent Prima Minister Menahem Begin,

who is also acting foreign minister, is expected to meet with senior ministry staffers soon to acquaint himself with them personally and with their work.

Ministry sources airing this expec-

tation said they dld not know whether Begin would visit the ministry or invite the staffers individually to his office. It is not known how long the premier intends to leave the Foreign

Ministry portfolio unfilled: So

pundits predicted yesterday that be will not begin considering a replace-ment for Mosbe Dayan for "at least several weeks." Ministry sources asserted that the premier is taking a lively interest in all incoming cables from the em-

Nissim's decision not to create a separate information ministry out of departments torn away from the Foreign and Education Ministries. Clechanover and his top aldes spent

iong hours earlier this week seeking to persuade Nissim that information is an Indivisible part of the Foreign Ministry's job. (Related story, page bassies and lagations abroad. The

Egypt to cut Alma oil production by half

CAIRO (Reuter). — Egypt has decided to reduce the production of the Israel-held Alma oli fields in Sinal by 50 per cent once they are returned. Oli Minister Ahmed Ezzedin Hilal was quoted yesterday as saying.

He told the newspaper "Al Ahram' that the yield from the fields was 40,000 barrels a day. It would he cut to 20,000 harrels a day so that "the productivity will not be exhausted."

Hlial said the fields would he

renamed "Shaah All," tha Arab name of the area, the newspaper said.

Egyptian technicians woold enter the fields within the next 24 hours to etart the process of handing over ex-pected to be completed by November 26, he sald.

· Hilal also told the newspaper that during intensive talks over the past three days with Israel an agreement was reached on the 'basic principles for Israeli purchases of Egyptian crude oil." He did not elaborate.

Eight bombs roll off IDF truck

TEL AVIV (Itim). - Quick thinking by a policeman averted a possible tragedy yesterday when an IDF truck travelling along the southern approach to Hadera "lost" eight

The policeman was driving a few hundred metres bahind the truck. When he saw the bombs roll off the

back of the IDF vehicle, he quickly stopped traffic along the road untilthe truck could be reloaded.

Hadera police arrived on the scene. Soon after the truck was reloaded — this time with more secure fastenings in the hack - the

Sartawi resigns from Palestine council

DAMASCUS (Reuter). - Issam Sartawi, a PLO leader who has been attacked for his Israell links, has resigned from the Palestine National Council (PNC), informed Palesti-nian sources said yesterday.

Sartawi iast month ahared a human rights prize with Israeli Arye (Lova) Ellav for his role in seeking Arah-Israeli understanding. It was

road was reopened to traffic.

tawi had resigned following a request by PLO chief Yasser Arsfat that be ahould turn down the prite.

presented by Austrian Chancelior.

The Palestinian sources said Sar-

Bruno Kreisky.

FLOGGING. — A young man was publicly flogged in Karachi yesterday for raping a four-year-old girl.

We will meet in Memory of

Dr. MOSHE REEB

on Sunday, November 11, 1979 at 3.30 p.m. at the New Ramat Hasharon Cemetery

The Family

The Directorate of the National Insurance Institute and the staff of the Jerusalem branch

> offer condolences to MIRYAM KARL on the death of her

> > SISTER >"

The members of the committee of the Israel Bridge Association, Beit Hagefen, Haifa extend condolences to JACK BALAILA, a member of the Committee on the death of his father

IZHAK - 5'T

Knesset buzzes: Nissim

to Justice, Tamir as FM

By ASHER WALLFISH Jerusalem Post Reporter

Minister without Portfolio Moshe Nissim was seen as a possible substitute for Justice Minister Shmuei Tamir, who would then pick up the foreign minister's portfolio — according to spaculation around the Knesset uesterday.

The Nissim appointment would compensate him and his Liberal Party for the abortive proposal to create a Ministry of information under his responsibility.

The foreign minister's post has been vacant sinca Mushs Dayan resigned on October 21. Premier Menahem Begin has been acting foreign minister.

Begin yasterday completed one phase of his cabinet resouffle when be made Yigal Hurvitz finance minister in place of Simha Ehriich, who bacame daputy pramiar alongsids Yigael Yadin.

Begin announced to his colleagues last month that after this phase of the reshuffls, he would proceed to phase two - the replacement of

It is not clear how iong Begin would like to serve as acting foreign

TEL AVIV (Itim). - Defendants

who give an alibi are not required at the start of their trial to present the

names of supporting witnesses, a panel of judges ruled in District Court here yssterday.

Judges Hadassa Bsn-Ito and

Moshe Telgam, the majority, made

the ruling in the trial of three men for armed robhery at a Bank Leumi branch in Ramat Gan last May.

They reversed the decision of a

previous pansl, of Ben-Ito, Kedmi

and Binyamin Cohen, bearing the

The defendants in the case, Herzl

Avitan, Yehoshua Asher and

Avraham Kashani, refused to reveal the witnesess to their alibi for fear

the polics would examine the

By BENNY MORRIS

Jerusalem Past Reporter

Hammer informed secondary school

heads, staff and eenior pupils in two circulars issued yesterday that he

will decide on the future of the

bagrut (matriculation) examination

soon. He asked for their views on the

In the two circulars, Hammer said

he would make his decision after.

considering their written replies, the

recommendations of two com-

Education Minister Zevulun

witnesses in privata and "convincs

same case.

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No need to reveal names of

alibi witnesses, judges rule

Hammer wants pupils' views on bagrut

minister. Romours circulated on Tuesday already that Eliahu Ben-Elisear, director-general of the Prime Minister's Office, might be made foreign minister. Ben-Elissar is a staunch member of Herut — a party which has long complained that it is under-represented in the cabinet.

Tamir told The Jeruslalem Post that if Bagin offered the foreign ministry portfolio to his Democratic Movament party, then the DM would first have to deelde whether tn accept or reject the portfolio, and if It accepted, he felt the job should go

Tamir said: "If the rumours that the Liberal Party le demanding compensation are true, as you suggest, ! don't know how the appointment of Yadin to the foreign ministry would help redress the halance. I bays never heard anybody suggest that I ahould not stay in the Justice

Nissim, queried by The Post, said the rumours had not reached his ears, but agreed that in the cabinet as it was at present constituted, the Liberal Party did not enjoy its dus share of the portfolios

them" that they were wrong in their

supporting testimony.
According to Ben-Ito, the law does

not specifically say that defendants

must revaal the names of alibi

witnesees. The iaw forhlds at-

torneys, but not police, to examine in private the witnesses of the other

Ben-Ito recommended the English

practics — having police examine

witnesses in the presence of the

dsfence attorneys. But the prosecu-

tion rejected the proposal.

Ya'acov Kedmi, in the minority

opinion, said defendants should give

the names at the start of the trial,

since that was the spirit, though not

the letter, of the law, Liks the ma-

jority, he favoured the English prac-

tice which was turned down by the

Pedagogical Secretariat, which is

Last September a commission of

experts headed by Haifa University

rector Ozer Shild recommended that the bagrut be continued but with

some innovations such as giving

marks for civic and social

behaviour. A Knssset sub-committee concluded, earlier that the bagrut

should he scrapped and replaced hy

Hammer promised the teachers

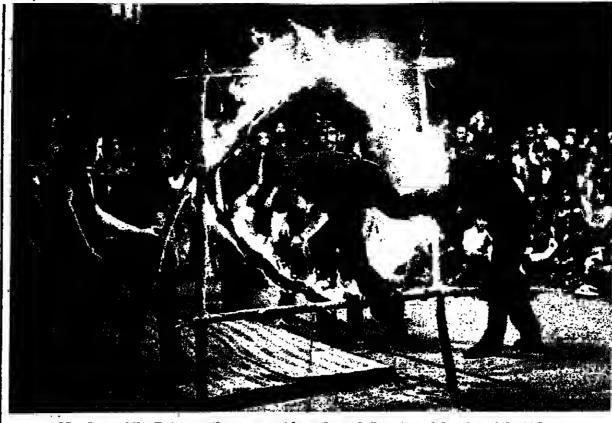
and pupils that their views "will be

taken into account when final

decisions are made."

school graduation certificates.

currently discussing the question.



Members of the Betar youth movement leap through fire at a celebration of the 99th anniversary of the birth of the movement's late leader, Zs'ev Jabotinsky, in Rishon Lexion

Bergland wants farm aid plan for Egypt, Israel, U.S.

Taxmen expect IL2.5b. from debtors

By YITZHAK OKED

Jerusalem Post Reporter KIRYAT GAT. - U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Robert Bergland sald yesterday that he is studying the possibility of forming a tripartite agricultural aid plan among Egypt, Israel and the U.S. During his tour of the South, be added that "it is still too early, and inappropriate at the moment, but this tripartite plan will

becoms a reality."
Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon, who was Bergland's host, emphasiz-ed that during his recent visit to Egypt he had discussed agricultural cooperation there. Sharon sald thay had already started implementing this ecoparation, by preparing the exchange of agricultural scientists hetween the two countries. "This is part of the peace-making progress,

Jarusalam Post Reporter

Income tax authorities are after

about II.2.5b. In outstanding tax debts from some 9,000 people in the

country who each owe more than IL100,000.

has issued orders to the Income tax

authorities to take steps to collect

the tax debts from the 9,000 whose

files have been located by the

In a eccond stage of the operation,

regional tax offices are to take steps to gather back taxes owed by people

who have outstanding tax debts of

The authoritiee have been given in-

authorities.

The State Revenue Administration

Bergiand also said that he hopes to learn from his four-day visit here how to reorganize the structure of his department "which has not been reorganized for over 100 years."

The U.S. secretary ehowed special interest in how the Israell agricultural extansioo eervice heips the emali farmer. He said he plans to put special emphasis on helping the small American farmer. In this respect, Israel plans several projects to aid small farms in the U.S. South.

Bergiand started his visit at the agricultural research organization of the ministry at the Vulcani Institute in Rishon Lezion. He then visited the Lachish regional research station and Moshav

structions to be flexible with tax deb-

tors who come forward to straighten

out their tax problems. But harsh

measures are expected to be taken against those caught in the new tax

Post Knesset Reporter

Defence Forces will be eligible for

ths decorations for bravery now awarded to individual soldiers under a hill chat-passed its first reading in

The hill was presented by Deputy

Defence Minister Mordechai Zipori.

the knesset last night.

Outstanding units of the Israel

Medals for IDF units

ever are visiting country's museums Jerusalem Post Reporter

More Israelis than

Israelis have been vieiting museums at an increasing rate since 1975, with more than twice the number of visits this past year than in 1975. Some 8.3 million visits by adults to

the country's 87 museume - ineiuding five botanical gardens and zoos - during 1978/79 represented almost a 150 per cent increase over the average 3,2 million visits recorded annually between 1970 to 1975. The statistics were released yesterday hy the Central Buresu of Statistics. Museums with historical exhibits are the most popular. The country's museums, not counting the zoos and gardens, employ some 750 workers, of whom some 250 are professionals. Twenty-one of the country's museums, are located on kilhhutzim.

Broadcasting board to discuss 'blacklist'

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Broadcasting Authority chairman Reuven Yaron hae scheduled a special meeting of the hoard of directors to discuss charges that Amos Goren, the director of news at Kol Yisrael, prepared a memorandum listing radio journalists' political views last year.

Yaron took the action in order to calm the troubled waters. Goren adamantly denies having written such a memorandum, but the allegation has produced angry responses from some Knesset members. An inquiry is being conducted by radio director Cideon Lev-Ary.

Irish from UNIFIL Jerusalem Post Correspondent

Haddad blockade cuts

METULLA. - Irish troops serving in a UNIFIL forward outpost in the smbattled village of Belt Yahoun epent yesterday watching helpiessly as Christian militiamen maintained their three-day blockade of all roads in the area. The Irish troops are cut off from their battallon headquarters at nearby Tibnin.

Frankfurt to invite

FRANKFURT, West Germany

(Reuter). — The city of Frankfurt is to invite 50 of its former Jewish

citizens back for a free two-week holiday every year, a city

spokesman said yesterday.
The spokesman, Reiner Schwing.

aaid some 350 Jews now living in

Isracl and the U.S. had expressed in-

Jews back to visit

The 20 men at "Bunker Hili," two heavily sandbagged houses astride a narrow road, manoeuvred their ar-moured vehicles in a show of force to match the militia roadblock at either

end of the village.
It was the third consecutive day that Major Saad Haddad's militlas in the area prevented movements of UN traffic in the enciavee under his

Haddad began the blockade on Mondsy after Irish troops at this checkpoint prevented his forces from reinforcing their positions when they came under fire from PLO and Lebanese leftist forces who

had inflitrated into the area.

It would be "contrary to everything we stand for" UNIFIL sources told The Jerusolem Post yesterday. "to allow de facto forces to increase their strength." Haddad's men are referred to as de focto forcee by UN perconnel.

There was no indication last night that Haddad would end his blockade.

"At the moment there is no problem. although we may have some difficultics with water in a couple of days", a scnior UN officer said. Haddsd's move, the officer said,

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was a "pressure tactic" designed to force UNIFIL to give way. It was not the first time, he noted, that Haddad had closed the road to UNIFIL. In the hamlet, the Irish troops

were in good spirits and ate a lunch of stew and played foothall under the watchful cye of the militia men manning the road checkpoint.

On Tucsday, tension reached s dangerous level when militaismen moved a tank up to the Irish post. The 20 Irishmen were reinforced by a similar number of soidlers from a Dutch hattaiion. The UN apparentiy helieves that the precence of soldiers from Holland, which traditionally has friendly relations

to put preseure on Haddad to reopen the road and would reduce tension in the area. In a related development. terrorists holding the Beaufort Castie strongpoint iast night opened fire with heavy machineguns on vehicles passing near the Christisn village of Deir Mimas. Haddad'e militia did not return the fire. But the major

with Israel, would encourage Israel

conveyed a "very serious warning" to the UN, saying he would not tolerate further breaches of the

3 girls killed in Gaza road accident

KHAN YUNIS (Itim). — Three young girls from the Gaza Strip were killed and a fourth was seriously injured when their donkey-driven cart was hit hy a truck yesterday after-

Najah Ahu Hussein, 16, who was driving the eart, and her sister Sabah, 15, and their niece Shaba Ahu Tsiat, 14, were killed when their wagon overturned, after being

struck on the road between Khan Yunis and Rafiah. Subhiya Abu Hussein, 12, sister of the two klied, was Injured. The truck driver, Eil Sima of

Rishon Lezion, was arrested by Gaza police. In the 24 bour period ending yesterday morning, two people were killed and 21 were injured in 15 road

crease in Scandinavian import

quotas from Israel, especially in the

textile and food sectors. He is also

expected to meet with husinessmen

and government officials to scek

ways of increasing visits to Israei hy

Scandinavian businessmen.

Patt to Scandinavia tomorrow for trade talks

Jerusalem Post Reporter Industry, Trade and Tourism Minister Gideon Patt leaves tomorrow for talks in Sweden and Norway on improving trade

Patt is expected to ask for an in-

Moroccan Jews join World Jewish Congress

Morocco's Jewish community has been accepted for membership by the World Jewish Congress.

The congress executive meeting in Chicago yesterday told a group

representing the Moroccan commembership had been passed unanimously. The Moroccan community numbers some 20,000.



6.2 millions inhabitants, 60,000 km of roads, 50,000 km of hiking trails, 32,000 km of rivers and streams, 8000 hotels, 5000 km of railways, 3000 holiday resorts, 1350 sq. kilometers of lakes, 850 ski trails, 500 public swimming pools, 400 mountain railways, 39 4-thousand-meter peaks, 3 airports, and stable prices: all cordially welcome you to Switzerland.

> Of all Swiss things worth seeing, the lastnamed may possibly be the finest. At all events it's the smallest, and makes your pleasure in the others correspondingly greater.

Generally speaking the Swiss (accustomed for centuries to make a virtue of Switzerland)

show an aversion to any form of gigantomania. If the listing above is insufficiently clear on this point, we can only ascribe it to our excessive precision: this forces us to report facts about Switzerland even when favourable. Just as the reply to the rumour that Switzerland is expensive can only be: Switzerland is simply priceless.





Flow of Iran oil to U.S. resumes after 'disruption'

WASHINGTON. - A State Department official said vesterday that the U.S. has confirmation that oil supplice from fran are on their way ngaln, after a brief dleruption apparently enused by a strike. Enrlier, U.S. Energy Secretary Charles Dunean said that Iran had

Price to rise if Iran cuts oil supplies

WASHINGTON. - A cutoff of oil imports from Iran would not mean sn lmmediate return to last summer's petrol lines, but it would result in another wave of otiff oil-price increasee, according to come oil in-

duetry analysis. Publicly, the Carler administrstion has continued to play down the likelihood that Aystolish Ruhollah Khomeini's regime would ban shipments to America or sharply cut back exports. "We expect that our oil supply will not be cut off." Hodding Carter, the State Department'e spokesman, said on Tuesday.

Privalely, State Department officials have a more pessimistic view. The possibililee of a culoff to the U.S. or a drop in exports is very. very great," one official eald.

State Department officials say that Khomeini can afford to slash exports because Iran now has \$9b. ln official reserves, and that Teheran's troubled central government will end the year with a \$4b, surplus. Iran provides the U.S. with 400,000

barrels s day or more, seconding to John Lichtbiau of the Petroleum Industry Recearch Foundation Inc. Lichtbiau said a cutoff would not cause petrol lines in the near future.

LONDON |Reuters. - One of

Africa's most distinguished

academics asid last night he thinks

whites will lose an inevitable race war in South Africa, fleeing rather

Ali Mazrul of Kenys, professor of political science at the University of

Michigan, offered his predictions in

a lecture broadcast by the Britleh Broadcasting Corporation.

Mozamblque and Zimbabwe-

Rhodeela, he sald, no entrenched

white settler community in Africa

had surrendered power without a

tion of white control, the Republic of

South Africa, will have to undergo a

similar challenge in the years to

whites would "fight to the last

Afrikaner, I think there is a lot of

fooileh romanticism about the

Afrikanere...they will kill and be kill-

ed for a while. But when the cost really becomes too high the exodus

Mazrui entitled the firet of his six Reith Lectures "The Garden of Eden in Decay." He said that Africa had

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Prof. Mazrui eald he doubted

"It is inevitable that the last bas-

In Kenya, Algeria, Angola,

than fighting to the desth.

violent struggle.

comc," he eald.

Black scholar predicts:

Bleak outlook for whites in

'decaying Garden of Eden'

Tursday and he could not confirm reports that the shipments had

A spokesman for Ayatolish Khomeini'e offlee had eaid carller that the Ayatollah had not halted the oil shipments, which account for about 10 per cent of U.S. imports st

But the opokcoman said the religious leader would consider doing so unless Washington agreed to extradite the Shah.

The State Department In Washington oald that the Carter administration had advleed U.S. companies to evacuate their U.S. staff from Iran since it could no longer provide them with normal consular protection.

Students supported by Iran's ruling clergy have been holding Americans hostsge in the occupied U.S. embassy in Teheran since Sunday and are demanding the shah as the price for their freedom.

Khomeini'e etatement came ehorty after Iran's Oil Ministry spokesman had made a similer denial in an Interview with the official Pars news agency.

Iran's oil minister. In an interview brondcaet on Iran radio, denied reports of a halt in oil exports to the U.S. "This report is completely false and the spreading of such reports indicates the existence on conspiracies against the Iranian revolution." the oil minister was quoted as saying. Reports of the oll cutoff led to a

'panle'' on the Europesn spot Meanwhile, from its offices in London. the British Petroleum company said it was business as usual yester-

day at the franian tanker port at Kharg ieland. U.S. bll industry sources earlier eaid that workers at the port had ap-

parently gone on sirike in sympathy with the occupiers of the U.S. Embassy in Tchersn. (Reuter, UPI).

probably been mankind'e first home

of having been plundered by Europe.

brutslity, blacko are not neceeearily

the worst sufferers. The Jewe can match that martyrdom," Mazrul

eald. "But among victims of sheer

humiliation and contempt, Africans

and people of African ancestry have

suffered the most in modern

Even today, he oaid, African

children learn geography from maps

made by Mercator'e projection, on

which North America appears to be

one and a half timeo the size of

Africa le, on the contrary, three and a half times the size of the U.S.," he

Swiss Guard thwarts

knife attack on Pope

ROME | Reuter | . - A Swies Guard.

swinging an axe-like medieval

weapon, overpowered a man armed with a knlic as he tried to push his way into the Vatican yesterday, say-

ing he wanted to kill Pope John Paul.

with hie two-metre halberd and then

Moroccan forces clash

RABAT (Reuter). - Moroccan

forces killed 100 Polisario Front

guerrillas and destroyed several

vehicles when they repulsed a guerrilla stack on the locality of

N'gueb near the Dra Valley in

southeast Morocco last Monday, the

pro-government Moroccan daily "Le

But the Algerian-backed Polisario

Front said yesterday its guerritlas

Nureyev in toecracker

BERLIN (AP). - Ballet star Rudolf

Nureyev broke a toe on his right foot while performing the "Nuteracker"

on stage in West Berlin, officials of the Berlin Opera Ballet eald yester-

Officials eald Nureyev finished the

Monday night performance in spite of the pain. After the ballet, the 41-

year-old Nureyev was taken to a

West Bertin hospital for treatment.

Doctors advised him not to perform

Matin" reported yesterday.

with Polisario Front

The guard blocked the man'e way

police said.

disarmed him.

were captured.

"It is difficult to believe that

it it now suffered the coneequences

'Among victims of sheer physical

South Korea 'considering' amending Park constitution SEOUL (AP). - South Korea's present constitution as required

deputy Premier Shin Hyon Hwack gave the first official hint yesterday that the government is considering smending the constitution, which assassinated President Park Chung Hee wrote to ensure his one-man

U.S. charges

9 oil giants

profiteering

customers by nearly \$1.2b.

WASHINGTON (Reuler). — The U.S. Energy Department on Tuesday accused the country's nine

inrgest oil refineries of overcharging

The department alleged that the Amerada Hese, Arco, Chevron U.S.A., Conoco, Gulf, Mobil, Shell,

Sohio and Sun Oil companies falled

to comply with pricing regulations

from August 1973 until the end of

It accused the companies of

violating regulations which govern

the cost of refinling and marketing

The action brought to 35 the

number of big U.S. refinerles in-

dicted by the Energy Department.

The total violations amount to \$6.4b.

allegations, said the charges 'result

from good faith differences of opl-

nlon in the Interpretation of the regulations." All nine indicated they

would defend their view of the

regulations through available ad-

ministrative procedures.

Gulf Oll, responding to the

petroleum products.

Shin, the second-ranking official in the present government, said he thinke that acting Preeldent Choi Kyu Hah will make a statement about the political situation in the country "in a few days."

After reassuring more than 1,000 foreign businessmen that the government will continue Park's economic programme with very few changes, Shin referred to the basic lsw when asked by reporters if a new president would be elected under the

England's Prince Charles

appears serious as he loads a

mortar on Tuesday during firing

practices in Tidworth of the 22nd

(Cheshire) Regiment, of which

he is colonel-in-chief.

Shin's comment appeared to confirm reports by well-informed sources that the country's leaders have agreed to smend the constitulion. The sources eaid, however, the leadere still are divided on how radicatty and how quickiy this

should be done.
The 1972 Yushin constitution. written by Park under martial law calls for a new president to be chosen within 90 days by South Kores's electoral college, without debate and without sny campaigning.

informed politica! sources say this mesns, in effect, that Park's successor would be chosen by the small group of civilisms and officisis in charge of the government.

'No way to stop nuclear spread'

LONDON (Reuters. - No technical safeguards can be found to make absolutely eure that a country which wante the stomic bomb will not develop it once it is supplied with s nuclear power station, a report published yesterdsy said.

The report, entitled "Nuclear Energy and Nuclear Weapon Prollferstion," was compiled by the Stockholm International Peace

Research Institute (SIPRI) which regularly investigates disarmament and arms control lasues.

At present, most countries which embark on nuclear power programmes have to agree to admit inspectors of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA). They make measurements and take samples almed at seeing whether nuclear material has been diverted to military use.

Moslem rebels kill 6 Filipino troopers

ZAMBOANGA, Philippinee (UPI). - Moolem rebels attacked an army detachment in the southern Philippinee killing six troopers and a woman, military authorities said

Authorities said three other troopers were wounded in the clash on Tuesday on Kolo Island 160 km. west of thio port city localed 855 km. south of Manila.

Malta threatens pullout from Council of Europe

VALLETTA |Reuter). - Maita's House of Representatives Tuesday adopted a recolution threatening to withdraw the island's represen-tatives from the Council of Europe. A Maitese Labour Party representative, Reno Calleja, who is also his country'o permanent delegate to the

Council of Europe, presented the mo-tion. It was carried without a divi-

Peking accepts FIFA membership terms

ZURICH (Reuter). - The International Football Federation (FTFA) yeeterday eald it had recelved a letter from the People's Republic of China Football Association formally accepting a decielon last month permitting both Peking and Talwan to be members of the

world eoccer body.

The letter, signed by Li Fenglou, president of the Peking association, said that China would do its utmoet to develop soccer at home and

abroad. FIFA's executive committee iast October 13 readmitted Peking to membership after 21 years' abeence, and ordered the Talwan association io change its name, flag and anthem. Taiwan sports officials later accused FIFA of violating its own rules by

this action. FIFA also placed Peking and Taiwan in the same regional qualify-ing tournament for the 1982 world cup, but in different groups.

India in historic cricket victory

BOMBAY (Reuter). - India made cricket history yesterday by com-pleting their first victory over Australia in a test series, when they won the sixth and final test, here by an innings and 100 runs to take the

had killed 42 Moroccan troops in the attack on the garrison. The Front Australia, dismissed for 100 in claimed that another 42 Moroccan their first innings in reply to India's 458 for eight declared, feli for 198 in soldlers had been wounded and four their second knock.

Australian captain Kim Hughes. who played a superb innings of 80, and left-hander Atlan Border, e1, raised their side's hopes in the morning by taking their third-wicket

. But the last five wickets crashed in just over an hour after lunch and india won with a day to spare. It was their first victory by an innings over Austratla in 36 tests.

Medium-fast bowler Kapil Dev took four wickets for 39 runs and left. arm spinner Dillp Doshi, making his test debut, claimed three for 60 and had match figures of eight for 103. To

12.05 (atereo): Maika Poine, pieno — Chopin: Mazurka, op.50, No.3;

Debussy: 5 Preludes from Book One:

Debussy: images: Beelhoven:

Sonata No.31 op.110
13.00 Works of Clara and Robert
Schumann: C. Schumann: Plano

Concerto Op. 77 [Mehael Pontil; R. Schumnnn: Symphony No. 3 Op. 97

15.25 Magazine on entertainment and

16.05 istercol: The Jerusalem

Symphony Orchestrs - Youth Concert No. 1 Gary Berlini conducting

- Bach: Sinfonla from Third Sulte; Rossini: Burber of Seville Overture;

Moznel: Haffner Symphony:

Avidom: Scherzo from Folks

Symphony: Beethoven: Movement

from Fifth Symphony; Mahler: Movement from First Symphony

17.45 Programmee for Olim

21.00 Everymnn's University

20.05 Music Magazine

14.10 Children's programmes

15.55 Notes on a new book

clerk at Beifast'e Crumlin Road add to Australia's misfortunes. prison and was married only two Rick Darling was hit on the head by the bail when hooking Kapli Dev. He collapsed and was taken to hospital wing began killing prison officers for an X-ray. three years ago.

As missiles roll in Red Square Soviets blast NATO nuclear plans

tanks and missiles roiled through Rcd Squarc, Defence Minister Dmitry-Ustinov sharply attacked the U.S. and other Western countries yesterday for planning to upgrade NATO's nuclear arsenal in Europe. In a bricf address to troops at a

military parade marking the 62nd anniversary of the Bolshevik Revolution, Ustinov charged that reactionary forcee in the U.S. were trying to gain military euperiority over Warsaw Pact nations.

President Leonid Brezhnev and other Soviet leaders watched the parade roll across the enow-covored cobblestones of the square as the defence minister criticized Wostern plans te deploy nsw medium-range nuclear missiles in Europe.

He sald that what he termed tho complicated International situation required further strengthening of the Soviet economy and defences.

Prime Minister Alexel Kosygin, 75, said by Soviet sources to bs resting by the Black Sea, missed the Brezhnev, Ustinov, 71, and chief

ideologist Mikhaii Suslov, 76, left the balcony of the Lenin Mausoleum after an hour and 10 minutes, chortly sfter the start of a civilian parade by thousands of Muscovites which followed the military march.



during the annual Revolution Day parade yesterday.

But Soviet television, which broadcast live coverage all over the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe, continusd to shew recorded pictures of the president and his colleagues waving to the marchers for anether

Foreign military attaches eald the parade followed the pattern of

weaponry on display. But uitra-modern T-72 tanks, first included in the parade in 1977, were back this year after a one-year absence. Armoured personnel carriers, self-propelled howitzers and batteries of surface-to-air mis-slice, many dating from the 1950s and 1960s and now obsolete, were

China: No dramatic results expected from Hua's tour

Mrs. Carter to Thailand to assess aid

San Salvador marxists free ministers

PEKING |Reuter|. — Chairman Hua Guofeng returned to China yesterday after a tour of Weetern Europe officially described here as a great success, but no dramatic diplomatic or trade initiatives are expected to follow the trip.

The New Chins News Agency said Hua had established himself in vestern eyes as a man of confidence. He had been abla to expiain Peking's foreign policy in depth, and he had opened the way to greater trade and economic cooperation.

But the agency eought to dispsi over-optimism that the tour to Britain, France, Italy and West Germany would result in a dramatic increase of trads or radical diplomatic

WASHINGTON (AP). - American

first lady Rosalynn Carter left for

Thaliand yesterday, sent by her bus-band "to observe at first band the

consequences of the horrible tragedy

President Jimmy Carter's wife

will visit camps holding refugees

fleeing from Kampuchea.
"I want to go to see what our whole

country can do to help." Mrs. Carter said before leaving Washington just

"It's important we maintain our

commitment to all the starving peo-

SAN SALVADOR (Reuter). - Ths

Marxisi Popular Revolutionary Bloc

IBPR) last night released three

government ministers and dozens of

other hostages sbortly after reaching an agreement with the rul-

ing civilian-military junta.

A junta epokesman said Planning and Economic Development

BELFAST |AP|. - Gunmen bellev-

ed to be Irish Rspublican Army guerrillas kilied a 20-year-old prison

officer as he waited for a bus in the

centre of Beifast yesterday, police

The officer was hit four times in

the chest by two gunmen who walked

up to him at the bus stop, a poilce

Police eaid the victim was a waree

The outlawed IRA's "Provisional"

Gunmen slay

reported.

The Weekly Concert —

Y.M.C.A. Auditorium, Sunday, Nov. 11, 8.30 p.m.

THE JERUSALEM STRING TRIO

Shmuel Magen — Cello

Raanan Eylon — Flute

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Bach Bach-Mozart

Villa-Lobos

Mozart

* Beethoven

Rimma Kaminkovsky — Violin

Yuval Kaminkevsky -- Viola

spokesman sald.

Belfast warder

occurring there.'

after dawn.

The visit was designed, the agency said, to show the world the type of man now running China, and give Hua a chance to inspect modern

The agency said it took exception to western descriptions of Hua's visit as an anti-Soviet diplomatic offen-

The agency said, "He merely ex-changed views with leaders of various countries and expounded China's viewpoints on the major international issues of the day.

As a result of the visit, be has schieved s reputation as being "a poised, generous, sincere and modest person in whom one can bave confidence," the agency sdded,

ple there, regardless of their af-

filiation" with the depoced Poi Poi

government or the Vietnamese-

backed regime, the president said at

a departure ceremony on the White

He said he was asking his wife to

assess the bureaucratic obstacles to sending food and medical supplies into Kampuchea.

Mrs. Carter was accompanied by Dr. Julius Richmond, the U.S. Surgeon General, and Jean Young,

wife of former UN ambassador An-

Minister Alberto Hart Deneke,

Economy Minister Manuel Enrique Hinds and Labour Minister Gabriel Gallego Valdes had been freed.

The BPR and the junta had spent

ail day negotiating at the

Nicaraguan Embassy over BPR

demands for pay rises for all workers, a price freeze and informa-

It was not known if the junta had

The BPR took the ministers

About 100 people have died in etreet violence sincs the junta

overthrew the right-wing president

Carlos Humberto Romero on

hostage along with a number of other

people when they selzed the labour and economy ministries on October

agreed to all the BPR demands.

House south lawn.

drew Young.

appeared.

December 15.

the Salisbury government halted all shipments of maize to its northern neighbour, security sources said, In the Zambian capital of Lusaka,

a state-owned newspaper urged Zambisn-based guerrillas fighting Rhodesia to "aharpen their bayonets" and wipe out the black-led government of Prime Minister Muzorewa.

casualties or damage in the Zambian attack on a Rhodeeian border post in Chirundu, and Rhodesians returned the fire, Rhodoslan officials eaid. It was not known whether the at-

tack was in response to Rhodesia's declaration of a biockade against shipments of maize, the Zambian food staple. Rail lines through Rhodesia are the only reliable means of transporting food to Zambia by railway.

Resumed hunting of rhino protested

GLAND, Switzerland (Reutsr). . West German and Dutch tour operators are offering European huniers a chance to shoot rhinoceroses in Zambla despite emergency plans to eave the animal from extinction, the World Wildlife

minister of water and natural resources, the WWF sald it could not consider funding conservation profects in Zambla without assuranceo that rhino hunting would be banned

But there was good news for the rhino in Tanzania. The government newepaper, "The Dally News," that the black rhino population was now on the increase there following a ban on hunting the animal and stepped up anti-poaching measures. (Reuler, UPI)

was killed yesterday when a thunderboit hit a movie theatre in the southern Syrian city of Dara'a, setting the building on fire, the Syrian Arab news agency sald.



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17.30 Shmil's Cat Club - Naian Dainer hasts Mike Buratyn and his

is on What's Up People and events ARABIC-LANGUAGE programmes: 18.30 News roundup 18.55 | Have a Question programme dealing with ellizens'

compinints (live) 19.30 News HEBREW PROGRAMMES resume at 20,00 with Match of the Week

21.00 Muhai newsreel 21.35 Danmentary Cuba, Sport and Revolution, BBC film about the

priority given to sports and sport

education in the Cuban revolution 22,30 The Girl on M-1. TV adaptation of Kaly Gardiner's drama about a hitchhiker who takes up with a middle-aged truckdriver. Starring Sharon Duce and Roddy McMillan. 23,20 Sonp 23,45 Almost Midnight — news

30RDAN TV lunofficiall: 17.10 Cartoons 18.30 French Hour. 18.40 (JTV 3) Blakee 7, 19.00 Holmes and Yo Yo. 19.30 News In Hebrew. 20.00 News in Arabic. 20.30 The Muppel Show. 21.10 The Survivors 22.00 News in English 22.15 Movie of the Week

ON THE AIR

First Programme

1.07 Morning Concert - Haydn: Symphony No.0 in D Major, Le Metin: Mozart: Adagio and Rondo for Glassburmonica, K.819: Bach: Brundenhurg Concerto No.5 8.05 Beethoven: Remont Overture: Saint-Saens: Variations ap.36, for 2 Planus (Eden, Tamir): Schumann; Barenboint; Shoatskovich: Symphony No. 10 in F Minor (Heitink) 10.05 Radio story

0.15 Elementary school broadcasts 10.40 Education for All 11.15 Elementary school brondcasts

21.30 Tulmud Lesson 21.50 introduction to the Orni Law 22.05 (stereo): Schubertlade, June 1979, part one Hermann Prey, harltone: Alfred Brendel, plane and the Melos String Quartet — Three Picces for Plane, D. 946; Lieder: Quartet in R Major, D. 353 23.23 (stereo) Jazz x 37 00.10 istereo: Musical Minialures

the arts

Second Programme 7.00 This Morning — news magazine 8.10 Good Morning — songs, chat with

12.05 Productive Pace - magazine for workers and emptoyers 13.05 Midday news commentary,

14.10 Stage and Screen — songs from 15.05 Sephardi songs -- recordings of n live performance

18.10 Any Questions 17.06 Economics magazine 17.10 Beautiful Land (repeat) 18.07 One t'copio - msgazine on the Jewish world

18.38 Sports roundup 18.48 Bible Beading — Joshus 17: 1-10 19.00 Todny — people and events in 20.10 Between Friday and Saturday

(repeat) 21.05 Folk songs 22.05 "Close to my Heart" 23.05 Just Belween Us — Listeners elr

6.30 University on the Air — Dr. Akiva Enr Nun lectures on the Solar System 7.07 "707" -- Alex Anski precents selections of music and items from the morning newspepers x.05 IDF morning newereel 0.00 largoll Morning - with Ell 11.05 Favouritee -- familiar songs

13.05 With Love — special regards 14.05 Two Hours — music and talk msgazine 16.05 Open Lino 17.05 IDF Evening Newsreel 16.00 Economics magazine 18.45 Israell Hit Parade

tunes and ekits

21,00 Mabat newsree) 21.35 University on the Air (repeat) 22.05 Heim Wcizmann's Zionism — a retrospective view

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

20.10 (Fourth) 15 min. 22.30 (Flfth) 25 min. 24.00 |Fifth] 30 mln. Yiddish 8.25, 18.30 |First| Hungarian 10.10 |Fifth] 15 min. Saturdays |First] 30 min. Romanian 6.30, 19.45 | First] Enseian C.20 |First|, 19.15 |First, Georgian C.10 (First), 19.15 (First, Fifth) Ladino 6.35 |First: 20.00 |First,

7.15 | Fourth, Fifth! 10 min. including review of Hebrew press 14.30 (Fourth, Fifth) 30 mln. 18.05 | Fourth | 5 mln.

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CINEMAS

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Zambian shelling follows blockade of maize shipments SALISBURY (AP). — Zambian troops shoiled a Zimbabwe Rhode-sian military outpost shortly after

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THUNDERBOLT. - One person



Cover for Soviet spy mission?

By JIMMY BURNS/Lisbon

A RECENT Soviet search for the legendary city of Atlantis may have been "cover" for an attempt to spy on the strategically important U.S. Air Force base at Lajes on the Azorean island of Terceira.

So say Azorean officials, who claim that Soviet incursions in the area have been building up over the past 18 months. Two Soviet submarines were reported very close to Terceira in January, and in recent months the traffic to and from Azorean ports of Soviet cargo ships and passenger cruises has been on

Axorean officials remain highly sceptical about the remarkable claims made by Dr. Andrei Aksenov, the deputy director of the Soviet Science Academy's Institute of Oceanography.

At a press conference in Lisbon last March, Aksenov claimed Atlanlast March, Assenov chameu Auantis bad been found by n Soviet ocean survey ehip in mid-Atlantic. He promised his academy would soon publish eight photographs showing the remains of the underwater city. Aksenov has not emarged since,

and it is now being suggested that his press conference was part of the cover story. However, U.S. officials in Lisbon are reluctant to take a public stand on the subject, though they concede that the strategic importanca of the area may have stimulated Soviet interest.

One of the functions of the Lajes base is to monitor Soviet submarine movements in the Atlantic. Another is to provide staging and logistic sup-port for the U.S. Sixth Fleet and for transport planes flying to and from

During the Yom Kippur War, the base provided an important part in the airlift of U.S. military supplies to Israel at a time when a number of . NATO countriae were refusing to provida facilities for fear of Arab

U.S. OFFICIALS in Lisbon caution against over-reaction and insist that if the Soviets really were getting too close for eafety, they would be told "privataly" to etop doing ec. Whether Azorean officials will be prepared to toe the U.S. line remains

The Centre Right regional government, led by Dr. Antonio Mota Amaral, depends on blatant anti-Communism for much of its political support. In 1975, during the revolutionary turmoils which racked Portugal, Azoreans ransacked Com-munist Party offices and expelled Socialist officials from their island.

The regional government'e anti-Communism is not shared by all Azoreans. On a recent visit to Tercelra, I found that soma islanders were more concerned with the existence of the base at Lajes than with any supposed Soviet intru-sion into their waters.

A mixture of fact and folklore, not helped by the official secrecy of U.S. military officials, has bred a fear that the island is being converted into a depot for U.S. armaments, in-cluding nuclear weapons, which would make Terceira a prime target in the event of war.

Because of the risks involved and the vital contribution of the Azores to Western defence, many islanders iook upon the \$140m. paid by the U.S. for continued use of Lajes as insufficiant compensation.

Some \$60m, of this will go in direct military aid for the Portuguese arm-ed forcea. The remainder, which will go towards specific development projects on the Azoree, will have been spent by the and of this year without covering even a quarter of the needs of the islands.

As one islander put lt, 'They are

taking an awfui lot more than they're giving."
(Observer Foreign News Service)

Rebellion against 'cancer' sprays

By WILLIAM SCOBIE/Ashland, Oregon

THE TRANQUIL, deeply wooded hills of southern Oregon becama a miniature battle zone recently.

Home-made barrage balloons — giant plastic bags filled with helium and anchored to earth by fishing lines — swung in blue skies. Bands of vigilantea gathered on remote hilltops, come reportedly armed with rifles, on the watch for invading

Access roads were blocked by chopped-down trees, and U.S. Forest Service officials found their car tyrea slached or deflated as demonstratore paraded, outsida government offices in small towns. And coma 200 Oregonian bomesteaders fled the hills to stay with friends or familias, or camp in tents until the threat had passed.

THE OUTBURSTS were the latast chapter in tha "Spray Wars" eaga a growing American rehelilon against serial dousing of crops and forests with tons of pesticidee. which, environmentalists claim, causa cancer, miscarriages, hirth defects and aliments ranging from "intestinal flu" to vaginal bleeding.

The chamical cloud is casting a long shadow in the Far Wast. State legislatures from Arizona, on the border with Mexico, to Washington, in the Pacific north-west, are excrcised over an leeue that Tom Hayden, activist friend of Californla's Governor Jerry Brown. predicts will be "one of the hottcet of

Aerial spraying has meanwhile continued in Oregon despite the bitter protests from groups which included sevaral pregnant women who threatened to chain themselves to

trees in the helicopters' path.
The U.S. Foreet Service, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and the chemical companies insist that the case against such defoliants as 2.4-D is "not proven."

But bulletine from the Spray Wars front euggest that Hayden may, for once, bave popular feeling behind

· Public protests halted a buge spraying project in California's Six

Rivers national forest;

• Voters in one California county approved, by an overwhelming majorlty, a total ban on aerlal

spraying;
California'e agile Governor Brown appointed a leading environmental scientist as bead of a

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state "early-warning system" to detect and atudy potentially dangerous agribusiness chemicals.

• Two multi-million-dollar lawsuits were filed by Californian woman

who allage thay suffered cancer and miscarriages as a result of exposure to spraying. The sults, against the U.S. Government and Dow Chemical Company, are the first of their kind

There are signs that the revolt is spreading within the U.S. Forest Service Itself. Thrae Cullfornian forestare recently refused to join in a helicopter spraying operation. They

EARLIER this year, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency banned sales of herbiclde 2,4,5-T after it was linked to miscarriages among Oregon woman, But 2,4-D—the most widely used phenoxy her-bicids in the world—is still freely avallable. Togetber, tbc two chemicale make up "agent orange," the defoliant used in massive quantitiee on Victnam by the U.S.

military. The chemical companies cite studies showing little or no damage to animals from 2,4-D. Their op-ponents wave a report by the Health, Education and Welfare Department. involving teets on 79,000 animals, which concluded that 2.4-D produced

as many birth deformities as 2.4,5-T. "Whoever is right, people are alarmed," said a California county supervieor. "The rate of abnormal pregnancies in spray areas justifies that alarm."

THE Spray Ware row la not restricted to backwoods areas. In recent weeks, potentially dangerous levels of the cancer-causing pesticide DBCP have been found in the water supplies of 20 California towns, 24 counties and dozans of farm Inbour camps. Yat DBCP was outlawed in the state two years ago, after workers at plants producing the chemical were found to be either

sterile or had low sperm counts. "It's a naw Victnam, pitting government against the little people," saye Oregon activist Ivan Rossall. "The courts don't worry, the bureaucracy laughs at us. And so a new alilance is forming, of amail farmers, fieherman, Indlans, homesteaders, aven the sisters at a

local nunnery.' (Observer Foreign News Service)

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"Fidel, Allende and Velasco together will flatten Yankee imperialism," reads the of left-wing demonstrators in Peru.

AN AWFUL LOT OF PARTIES IN PERU

By HUGH O'SHAUGHNESSY/Lima

STREET demonstratione, haton charges and the explosion of taar gas canisters are now almost nightly occurrences as election fever mounts in Peru's dusty city of Lima.

Aftar 11 years in power, the
military has announced a timetabla

for elections: A new congress and president will be chosen at elections on May 18 next year and they will take office on July 28.

The shining hopee that General Juan Velasco had in 1965 of moder-

nizing the country after he tossed out civilian Preeldent Fernando Belaunde hava largely been disappointed, cometimes for reasons beyond military control. His successor in power, General Francisco Morales Bermudez, a con-

eervative and orthodox-minded man, has given up any ideas of revolutionizing ecclety and is now acting as midwife to n constitutional

AS PERU ploughs its way out of the worst slump it has suffered in modern times, which has brought hunger and poverty to millions, militumes ir the Maoist-controlled teachers union SUTEP have been taking to the streets to protest against a 50 per cent drop in the purchasing power of their salarias over the past three years. They have had the support of

many Peruvlans who are not Maoists but who are sympathetic to their plight. The nction in the streets la

reflected in the smoke-filled rooms of Lima by the frenetle action of the

Peruvian left as it engages in complex eectarian arguments about future policies. There can he few countries in the world with as many equabbling parties of the left as Peru, some of them with only four or five members.

WHILE THEIR powerful opponents of the centre and the right look on, the parties of the left - Muscovites, Trotskyists, Maoists, Albanians, the New Left and other asserted groups
— slug it out in a doctrinal wreetling

The colidly orthodox trunk of the PCP - the Moscow-line Peruvian Communist Party — was among the first to split. A Maoist faction, the Communist Party of Peru (Red Fatherland) emerged. This, in turn, produced a pro-Albanian faction, the Peruvian Communist Party (Red Flag). And last year, the original Peruvian Communist Party itself split in two, the majority faction caliing itself Unity and the minority. rather perversely, cailing itself Ma-.jority.

The Maolets, too, had their problems. Perhapa worried by Cbina's increasingly close relationship with the Planchet regime in Chile and with the Morales Bermudez Government in Lima, back on China and decided to follow what they called the Luminous Path of José Carlos Mariategul. lhe defunct founder of Peruvinn

Marxist-Leninism. The Trotskyists, meanwhile, lined

themselvee up in the Revolutionary Workers' Party, which in turn gave birth to the Socialist Workers' Party and more letterly to the Revolutionary Workers' Party, the present resting place of Peru's bestknown Trotskyist, the former guerrilla Hugo Blanco, a man of im-mense perconal charm and a very ci-ficient vote-winner.

AT THE LAST COUNT, there were five parties calling themselves Revolutionary Vanguard and five calling themselves the Movement of the Revolutionary Left, And that leaves out both of the Revolutionary Communist partiee, one calling itself Working Class, the other, more combatively, Red Trench.

In elections held last year for members of a Constituent Assembly, the combined votee of the left amounted to 36 per cent of the total, which came as a surprise to most observers.

If the left is to make the most of the growing leftward shift of the country, it will bave to face the monumental task of deciding on one agreed candidate for the preeldency. But few Peruvians think that euch unanimity la possible.

The bemused peasants of the Andean highlands, many of who have only the vaguest idea that they live in a country called Peru, will probably be asked to choose between the rival merita of Mao. Stalln, Trotsky, Brezhnev, Enver Hoxha and Mariategui, of whom most have

never heard. (Observer Foreign News Service)

Writer defies the tribe

By DONALD WOODS/London

MANY South Africans regard the Eastern Cape region as rustic and remote, yet li has produced euch remarkable personalities as Neleon Mandela, leeder of the African National Congress, Robert Sobukwe. leader of the Pan-Africaniat Congrese, Steve Biko, leader of the Black Consciousness Movement, John Voreter, former president, and Athol Fugard, the internationally

acclaimed playwright.

Another remarkable man of the area is André Brink, the Afrikaner writer whose latest novel "A Dry White Season" has become the first book in South Africa to be banned

before publication.
Normally, South African censors ban books only efter they reach the shops, but this one incurred their wrath when the postal authorities intercepted two pre-publication copies sent to the author by his London publishers, W.H. Alien, and 'they

promptly made it a criminel offence to disseminate it further. Not content with banning the book, they are threatening to prosecute Brink for writing it, and he could be jalled for five yeare if convicted. The reason for their fury is the

theme of the novel - the kliling of a biack man jalied without trial by security police and the murder of bis white friend for seeking to expose their guilt.

A chilling aspect of the story is that the security police killing of the black man is an amaigam of known facts surrounding the deaths of Steve Biko, Mapetia Mohapi, Imam Haron and Joseph Mdlull.

THERE is a dreadful truth in this cvocation of how so many blacks have died in police custody in South Africa, and this alone would have en-sured the ban, but Brink adds another dimension to infuriate ths powere in Pretorla.

He portrays the increasing dis-

lliusionment of an apolitical white, an Afrikaner, whose initially nalve campaign to get at the truth of the matter develops into n horrified realization that be is dealing not with blundering bureaucrats but with arrogant killers who draw their authority from a monstrous perversion of patriotism. Brink is a brave man, A 44-year-

old associate professor of Afrikaans at Rhodee University, Grahamstown, he comes from an Afrikaner Nationalist home and studied at Potchefstroom University in the Transvaal. After a postgraduate epell at the Sorbonne. he returned to become a rebel against apartheid orthodoxy.
His writings have brought him into

increasing-conflict with the national censors. His first novel, "Looking on Darkness," was banned and the next two, "Instant in the Wind" end "Rumoure of Rain," were impounded for one month and eix months respectively, before being adjudged safe for reading by his fellow citizens.

The angriest official response has been the reaction to his latest novel
— and, in anticipation of the ban, Brink and his friends arranged a quick distribution of 3,000 coples of the Afrikaane edition by private cubscription, a version of sumizdat publication methods used by dissident writers in the Soviet Union.

Brink writes all his novele in Afrikaans, then translatce them into English, He concelved "A Dry White Season" in 1976, a year before the death of Steve Biko, and when Biko was killed by security police in September 1977, Brink waa so shattered that he had to lay the manuscript aside for scveral months, finding it imposeible then to deal with it as "a mere novel."

He completed it out of the same eense of compulsion he attributes to the narrator of "A Dry White Season" — the need to record such tragedy ae an act of perconai testimony.

BUT IT TOOK more than a sense of such compuision to write this book. It took the kind of inspirational courage of that other remarkable Afrikaner, Beyers Neude, whose banning orders are the price paid for standing up against the excesses of the volk.

Brink has laid himself open to a campaign of vilification and physical threat as a "traltorous Afrikaner," and he and his family have had to develop a new vigitance in all their movements.

Fortunately, the quiet city of Grabamstown is not where the most vicious of South Africa's security police are assigned, and security operations there bave occasionally been as amusing as they have been annoying. One Gilbertian touch was that, for some years, the two senior officere of the Grahamstown eccurity police rejoiced in the names of Major Sweetman and Captain Sauer-

André Brink has been more than a match for the likee of these, but, because of his new novel, be ie mtracting wrath from higher, more

The South African Government has a new law to use against him now, the Police Act, under which any citizen can be prosecuted for publishing anything reflecting badiy on police behaviour without first obtaining permission from the police authorities, unless the truth of the matter can be proved.

IN THEORY, then, Brink can be convicted for writing even a work of fiction which reflects badly on the South African accurity police.

In practice, however, one trusts the authorities will drop the idea because proof of Brink's case is a matter of court record in a number of killings on which he based his

But they will get at Brink in other ways, because, while they are bard enough on disaident writere in South Africa who are blacks, or Englishspeaking whites, they recerve a special venom for members of their own Afrikaner tribe who dare to defy

There ie an Afrikaans proverb to comfort heroes under attack: "It is the tallest trees which calch the most wind. André Brink is a tall tree indeed.

(Observer Foreign News Service)

· Tel Aviv derby

SOCCER PREVIEW/Paul Kohn

TEL AVIV Maccabi, back at the top of the National League, returns to Bloomfield Stadium this Saturday for a darby clash against Tel Aviv

Shimshon. Both taame won their games by the odd goal last week. Macenbl can be considered fortunate to have won both points in Kfar Sava (1:0), where for long stretchee their defence was under pressure. But It ie the mark of champions to be able to soak it up and then break out of defence and in effective countar-attacks score . the necessary goals. With Benny Tabak, Vicky Peretz and Moshe Schweltzer. Tel Aviv Maccabi possesses such talent and at bome look worth a cou-

pie of goals. Maccabi will be facing a strengthened Shimsbon team, in which Gldeon Damti and Yeboshua Feigenbaum have been showing good form. The younger Damti, Benny, is also finding his place in the Shimshon side. But Maccabi looks the stronger all-round team.

Jerusalem Betar returns to the YMCA Studium after two away gamae, in which it did not manage to score a goal. This lack of punch in the Betar attack must be worrying the club's management, and the return of Ehud Ben-Tovim to Bnei Yebudn did not improve matters. Even worse for the team is the absence of the injured Uri Maimillian.

Ktar Sava Hapocl will be making the trip to the capital, and will not be easy prey for the Jerusalemites. Kfar Sava is a good all-round team, with an especially etrong midfield in Yltzhak Shum, Noach Einstein and Dory Almog. But unless Israel Fogel and Eli Yannal can rise to the occaelon, the Jerusalem Betar defence, with goalkeeper Yosi Mizrahi in grent form, wili probably hold them. Adraw result looks on the

cards.

Haifa Hapoel have drawn their last three games, all under the coaching of Mordechai Splegler. But the toughast test yet will come at Kirynt Haim against Netanya Maccabi. The visitors have moved into second place in the league, having scored more goals (12) than any other forward line. Although Spiegisr will forever be associated with Netanya Maccabl, and knows that elub'e etrengths and folbice better than anyone, David Lavie, Mosbe Gariani and Odad Machness need only show flashes of their best form to win this

game. Tel Avlv Hapoel moves cross-town to play against Juffa Muccabl. floundering in 15th place. A cerice of shock recults have hit the morale of the Jaffa eide, which made several executive changes this week. The team is composed of the same players who achieved fine results last season, and appears to lack a touch of inspiration. Tel Aviv Hapocl must be favoured to win on current form, but this may be the match for a surprise result.

ONE OF THE most interesting ciashes this Saturday will be between Yehud Hapoel and Baci Ychuda, in Yehud. The bome team is only one point bahind the league leaders, and has lost only one game this season. Yehud, with Aryeb Haviv in goal, bave one of the tightest defences in the league, with only two goals against them in six league matches. This will not make things any easier for Ehud Ben-Tovim and Co., but the encounter appears to have a draw result stamped on it.

IN THE SECOND Division, Acre fans will have an interesting match this week. Acre Hapoel plays at bome to the team which has replaced them as league leaders. Lod Hapoel. Led by former Jerusalemite Ze'ev Band, who scored five goals last Saturday in Lod's 7:1 win over Bat Yam Hapoel, the visitors will be after goals. Acre jost their last home game 1:2 to Haifa Maccabi, and despite failing again at Ramat Gan last week, should reverse the treed.

local derby between Maccabl and Happel. Neither team has shown much sparkle this season, and this promises to be a dour event. Jeruealem Hapoel, wblch bas climbed to second spot, trevel to Upper Nazareth, where the new-

Herzliva fans will be treated to a

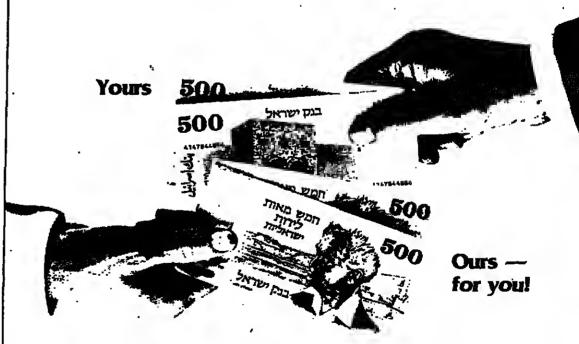
comers to the Second Division will provide keen opposition. Sportoto punters Only three managed to get all 13 gamea right on last waek's coupon, and each will collect IL1.3 million. Twelve results will be worth about IL19,500, and those with 11 right can look forward to cheques for IL1,250. Ten results

Sportoto announced a minimum of ILS million in prize money after this week's gamea, including HA million to be divided among those marking 13 games correctly.

SPORTOTO GUIDE:

Haifa Hapoel v Nelanys Maccabi Yehud Hapoel v Beel Yehuda Jaffa Maccabi v Tel Aviv Hap. Petah Tikva Hap, v Ramat Amidar Beersheha Hap, v Petah Tikva Mac. Hakosh v Tel Aviv Beist Tel Aviv Maccabl v Shimshon Jerusalem Belar v Klar Sava Hap. Rishon Lexion Map. v B. Shemesh Hap.i Upper Nasureth v Jerusalem Hapoel 1 Hersliya Maccahi v Hersliya Hap. Bat Yam Hapoel y Tiberias Hapoel Hatla Maccabi y Remat Gan Hap.

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Freddie Laker takes his fight to Israel Tackling the cartel of international airlines

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

El Al and British Airways have euddenly dropped their cheapest promotional fare from £270, for a group flight return ticket to London. to £130. Thie at e time when their group fare to Rome - which is halfway to London — remains £182.

How come? The answer is undoubtedly Sir Freddie Laker, who has suddenly appeared on the Israeli scene. The man who helped revolutionize air traval across the Atiantic by his dally Skytrain flights to New York and Los Angeles has now inaugurated a oncc-a-week cut-price flight between London and Tel Aviv. The fare is £149 return, including hotel accommodation for a

Four British tour operators have undertaken to fill one of Sir Fred-die's 345-eeat DC 10s every Tuesday for a year. The rick is on them; Laker calle them his 'four courageous men."

What is his reaction to the countermeasure of the scheduled airlinee? "First of all, I object to the term 'scheduled airlines'," he told The Jerusalem Post yesterday, on the

"No subsidiee, plcaee," Sir Freddie Laker told a group of

tourism industry leaders in

Jerusalem yesterday. "It is only, by eliminating subsidiee that you

eeparate the men from the boys.'

Laker, who was speaking at a luncheon in his hongur at the

King David Hotel, was referring

to e recent price cut of the London-Tel Aviv air fare by El Al

and Britleh Airways. Local

charter organizers bave claimed that by elashing its rates, the

national alrline, which ie already

contract was elgned last Independence Day. So there was plenty of notice."

The Laker Airways fare from Tei Aviv to London is likewise £149, and

eve of his departure after a 24-hour

stay in Israel. "Scheduled means

travelling at a fixed time. Well, our

charters do that. I suggest you call

Very well, IATA airlince. What

does he think of the new Apex £180

fare? He shruge an amlcable

shoulder. "We are not scared of com-

petition — fair competition. But only last weck IATA airlines raised their

European tariffs by 15 per cent, and justified that on a plea of increased

"Now they lower their London fars

to half - just when we've introduced

out charters. The coincidence is un-

canny. I can't help asking, had there

been no Laker, would that price revi-

Travel, one of the tour promoters,

cut in: "I asked El Al and BA nine

long months ago whether they would

provide a charter flight. There was

no answer. We concluded our deal

with Laker six months ago — the

Maurice Segai, of Modernline

eion have taken place?"

the others 'IATA alrlines'."

Israell taxpayer. Industry, Trade and Tourlsm Minister Gideon Patt welcomed Laker and told him Israei is glad to see his eervice extended to its

losing moncy, le subsidizing travel abroad at the cost of the

Laker replied that Israel, wblch he has visited previously, is a desirable tourist destination.

"You have everything going for you," he said. "All you have to do is build a few more botels."



Laker addressing heteliers in Jerusalem yesterday.

wili be reduced further, according to the Israeli tour promoter Yitzhak Gadish, of Maof Charters. "Next December it will be £109, and cheaper still from Ellat, at £99."

Only, the number of eeats avallable is limited. He has a block of 40 places in his London colleagues DC 10. Still, It is enough to put El Al on its toes.

Can an Ieraeli book a Laker charter all the way to New York? No, charters can only be flown to and from their countries of origin. But once arrived in London, the Israeli is free to pick up a Skytrain flight on to

'Our eystem over the Atlantic le book and travel on the same day. If the plane is full, we assure the customer a piace on the next day's flight," Sir Freddie eaid.

A plty for the Israeli is that be cannot make hie impact on routes other than those into and out of London. Is

lt possible to break the limitations imposed by governments, confining flights between any two countries to airlinee from those countries? Sir Freddie, tall. plump, cockney, grins disarmingly: "I'm trying to get fly-ing rights in the Common Market. It all depends — don't laugh — on

'A court of law has decided that the French cannot legally keep out English lamb. Right, well maybe they can't keep out English planes elther? I want to fly chartere from Paris to Athens, from Frankfurt to Rome — If they'll let me."

His company has 19 planes, with five more due next April. By 1982 he will own 21 wide-bodied jets all told - eleven DC 10s and ten A 800 airbuces. Laker Airways, the greatest real competition to the cartel of national airlines, has not finished growing yet.

(IL340m., the previous year). Of this

sum IL158m. was raised in Israel

The ratio between the amount of

premlum income in Ierael and

abroad has changed steadily during

and IL539m, abroad.

Israel Reinsurance had IL15m. profit from premlums etood at IL697m

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - The Israel Rcinsurance Company is planning to float a stock market lesue to raise IL80m. to IL100m. at the beginning of next year, Nebemia Misbor, chairman of the board, sald yesterday. This would double the company's paid-up capital, which now etands at elightly less than IL 80m.

Although the company lost several million pounds on elementary ineurance (mainly due to car accidents) in the 1978/79 fiscal year, it managed to more than offset this by profits in other fielde, especially premium income from abroad.

In 1979/79 the company'e income

the past few years. If today most of income comes from abroad, in 1975 local and foreign incomee were about equal. Several years before, three times as much was collected in Israel as abroad. In 1979/79 the company made a

gross pre-tax profit of IL67.7m., and s profit after taxee was IL15m. It paid a 14 per cent casb and a 30 per cent bonus dividend, the eame as the previous year.

AID. — Japan will grant India 2.5 billion yen (\$10.9m.) in aid to help the Asian nation expand food production and im prove the social environ-

ment, the foreign ministry announced yesterday. The announced ment said India will use 1.000 million yen (\$4.3m.) to purchase machinery for constructing lrrigation facilities and the remaining 1.5 billion yen (\$9.3m.) to bulld houses and bospitals.

High praise about absence of red tape — for a change U.S. firm branches out to Carmiel

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — "It took many long months to find a country which met all seven of our criteria for setting up a plant to manufacture our highly sophisticated power supplies for clectronic appliances. But it only took two weeks for the Israeli authorities to approve our request."

This was stated recently by

Merrill Simon, vice-president of Veeco, of the U.S., which is laying: the cornerstone of a \$8m. to \$4m. enterprise in Carmiel. At the same time the firm is formally "inaugurating". Its present rented quarters in the Galilee development town which are now being run-in and should start production in a month or

"Power supplies", expleins Simon, "are devices that take alternating current, which is used throughout the world for electricity. and converts it to direct current which is necessary to power all eppliances which use electronics."

Moreover, the current must not only be converted, it must also be highly "regulated", since there are ups and downs in the strength of alternating current. Only a epecific and eteady amount of direct current muet reech the clectronic lnstruments, otherwise they will be burned out.

Vecco is the name of the American firm, and one of its main divisions is called Lambda. The Carmiel plant is named Lambda Electronics (1979) Inc. Veeco will have worldwide sales this year of about \$100m.

Simon, 49, who was born in New Jcreey and educated at Purdue University, Rutgers, and the New Jersey Inetitute of Technology, at reports thet the Israeli authorities create a quagmire of red tape for all potential investors.

"We just laid our plans before Raf-fi Benvenisti, head of the Investment

former Minister of Industry, Trade and Tourism, Yigal Hurvitz. Benvenisti took me in to meet the minister and I also met the former deputy finance minister, Yeherkel Flomin. They took a dacision almost

on the spot. But the speed of decision by the authorities - 'which might surprisc others who have run into red tape" - was not one of the seven criteria which brought Veeco to Israel, rather than to any of the European countries where Veeco'e main markets are.

The first criteria was government financial help. Many countries were ready to provide this in amounts which Veeco wanted. But some countries, although they are the main buyers of our goods, such as West Germany, France and England, were not too interested in inviting in e plant which would provide competition to their own factories.

The second criteria was political stability in a democratic country. This ruled out four European countries: Spain, Portugal, Greece and

Turkey.

The third thing was labour costs "substantially below these in the U.S.," and this ruled out countries like West Germany and Sweden. Then. Veeco wanted a country which had an agreement with the Common Market (or was within the Common Market) so that goods

duties. A fifth demand was that the country possese a pool of "locally trained and available" workers with technological skills.

could be shipped in without customs

The eixth point was that the country possees the technological and industrial infrastructure so that Veeco could go one step beyond assembly and manufacturing. It also wanted to design its products to meet the epecific needs of Europe. Israel bad not only skilled engineers working already in the field of R & D, but its elso was willing to finance half the

costs of any R. & D project.

And finally, Veece wanted a local market for its product. "Only two countries met most of

these requirements," Simon says,
"One was Israel, the other Ireland." But Ircland was ruled out because its local market was tiny, smaller. than that of Israel, and because it could not supply the same amount of technological support facilities to

design new products.
"And Israel also promised an added incentive," Simon saye. "It has commercial relations with Rumania, and eventually we hope to sell to the Eastern bloc.

Simon makes a sharp differentiation between a plant'e ability to manufacture and its ability to design new products. His firm already has three plants in the U.S., which both manufacture and design. It has a fourth plant in Mexico, which only manufactures.

Recently Veeco bought 60 per cent of the ebarce in a Japanese plant. 'In Jepan we can both manufacture and design, but costs in Japan are very high. So we set up a plant in Singapore only to manufacture — and we chip the goods to Japan."

The rented premises in Carmiel

ehould turn out goods valued et \$1m. within 12 months of going into production, doubling this sum, if not more, one year later. Within two years. Lambda will move out of the rented plant into its

own plant, which will have 4,000 sq.m. of ficor space (the rented plant has only 1,700 eq.m.) Another 4,000 sq.m. will be added later.

By this time, production should be in the \$17m.-\$25m. range. "About 90 per cent of production will be exported," Simon easy, adding that at this stage the plant will employ

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Rehovot resident. Winning tickets also drawn. Another 1,000 entrants had the sums on the tax receipts they submitted to the draw returned to

China doesn't plan to join Opec

PEKING (UPI) - China has no plans to join the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (Opec) at its December meeting in Caracas. Venezuela, a government epokesman said yeeterday.

The etatement contradicted a three-line news Item in this week'e edition of the French newe magazine Le Point, which said China would eeek Once membership at the Venezuela meeting. The magazine named no courcee for its story.

China has no need to join the oli cartei becauec it is not a major exporter of oil yet, although potentially it le one of the world'e great oli producers, the spokeeman eald.

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Pope tells cardinals of financial plight

VATICAN CITY (Reuter). Vatican officials yesterday told Roman Catholic cardinals for the first time about the shaky stats of cburch finances; a spokesman eaid. Vatlcan epokeeman Father Romeo Panciroli sald that the long-secret information was disclosed in three reports which would not be made public. The annual Vatican deficit is

eetimated to be \$2m. The 120 cardinals were summoned to Rome by Pope John Paul II for an extraordinary meeting on church affairs, including finances. The pope opened the meeting on Monday by saying. "The Sacred College of Cardinals bas the right and duty to have

an exact knowledge of the present state of the matter." ... 0.1 // The "cardidals also discussed a paper about the relation between the church and modern culture, enpecially eclence, delivered by French Cardinal Gabriel-Marie Garrone. The gathering is the first of its kind

in this century. Normally they meet only to elect a new pope.

Hotel occupancy versus average rate

By HAIM SHAPIRO Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Jerusalem Plaza Hotel, which has long held first place in the capital in occupancy rates, now leads the city's hotels in the average rate as well, general manager Jan Meetriner told The Jerusalem Post yesterday,

Meetrincr, who is completing his first six months as bead of the hotel, explained that the average rate is the amount the average room brings in throughout the year. The jump in income was accomplished, be explained, by increasing the number of private guests. in contrast to those coming in groups.

The 33-year-old Dutchman, who came to Jerusalem from the Therias Plaza, said that if the hotel wanted it could increase the number of private guests even more, but this would be at the cost of the good relations with the travel agents. With several botels due to open in Jerusalem in the next few years, the Plaza has no intention of cutting its ties with group tours, he observed.

Improvements planned for the hotel include a renovation project installing a new bar and lounge in what was a onc-storey well in the main lobby, with a epecial events room beneath it. They also comprise extensive renovations for the back of the house, with a remodelled

As the senior Canadian Pacific botel manager in the country, Mestriner also epoke about the Tiberias Plaza, which is still running a deficit. The future of the hotel depends on that of Tiberias in general, he eaid, and he expressed the hope, at least, that an increase in joint Israel-Egypt tours would mean more business for Israel's North. Canadian Pacific also has not

dropped its plans to run a botel in Tel Aviv, he said, but added that rather than build a hotel at this point, the company would be more likely to sign a management contract for an existing one. There is no dearth of hotels in Tel Aviv, he said, but the company is looking for one to keep up its reputation for style.

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Thursday, November 8, 1979



Hurvitz statements propel index-bonds higher

THE AVIV. — Early morning statements by sharp raily in index-linked bonds yesterday. sharp rany in moon manner ments that no tax would be imposed on Index-linked bonds, buyling orders streamed in and prices rose by up

to three per cent. Trading activity was considerably more subdued than the record high achieved on Tuesday, but it still totalled a respectable IL163.8m. Many investors are reported to have placed new buying orders for indexlinked bonds for today's session, and it seems that additional gains are in the offing.

The new finance minister also indicated that there would be no change in the existing dollar buying continued and the Israel pound was devalued by a further 26 agorot in reigtion to the Amarican currency. This weak alone the rate of devaluation has been 2.7 per cent. so far.

In spite of the fact that the ganeral share index remained unchanged yesterday, a good portion of the share market was rudely dumped for losses. Particularly affected were the shares of insurance, land develop-

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Stocks & bonds the market report

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN Post Finance Reporter

ment and real estate and industrial companles. Trading activity picked up considerably and stood at IL131.5m.

Commercial bank shares continued their positive market action. Of the majora, IDB was ahead by three and Haposlim (R) by two. Bank Leumi was unchanged as an offer of II.2m. was absorbed. Union Bank, Mizrahi, FIBI and General Bank all tacked on two

In a mixed mortgage bank saction Tefahot (B) chalked up a 5.2 per cent gain. With the beginning of trading in insurance shares, the downward trend was noticeable. Ararat IL1 suffered a 5.7 per cent loss, while

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Among service and utility company securities Delek (B) was off by 10 points, to 213. Lighterage ILi was "sellers only" and its price was reduced by 15 per cent.

The Rassco shares were sharply lower in a down-moving land development and real estate group. The Rassco preferred shares were 7.2 per cent lower, while the ordinary shares were pounded for a 9.1 per cent loss.

Industrials were also on the losing end. American Israeli Paper Mills were down by 10 points, reflecting a loss in excess of 5 per cent. Polgat was down by 20 points, to 454.

On the winning side of the ledger were Necbushtan (R) and Rim ILA. The former was up by 4.6 per cent, while the latter came through with a full 5 per cent galo.

Investment company issues also had little to cheer about. Investment of Paz, both bearer and registered, was down by about 5 per cent. Clai Trade was set back by nearly 6 per cent. Export Investments was up by 34 points, to 720. Other Clai shares were fractionally lower. Piryon gained 4.5 points, to

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London commodities

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COCOA. -- Cocoa's relative performance remeins weak, as it is one of the few commodities trading oear its lows. However, cocoa has already fallen a long way this year and last month's breakthrough to a new 1879 low bas not been maintained. This loss of downside momentum is the first indication that cocoa may be bottoming out and only a move below

COFFEE, - Coffee remains within a broad trading range between approximately £1,700 and £1,900, which should continue to contain prices for

£1,380 would confirm lower objec-

the short term. However, at present the chart shows more overhead supply than underlying support, suggesting that the next big move will be downwards.

RUBBER. - For most of this year rubber has been establishing support in the 69p 65.2p region, which should continue to limit the downside risk and eventually enable prices to ad-

SUGAR. - Although sugar has seen an enormous rise in the last two months, the charts indicate that the move bas been orderly, as gains have been consolidated throughout the peak and that the present downward risk is limited to temporary reactions within a rising

WOOL. - Overhead supply evident above 470 cents should continue to restrict wooi's upside potential for the short term and a move below the next support point at 454 cents would

indicate further easing to follow. SOYABEAN MEAL. - The small basc area below £122 cootinuea to limit the downward risk. However, more base building near current prices may be necessary before an

upside move is maintained. GRAINS. -- The grains continue to drift in what are predominantly sideways trends, although wheat is

the weaker of the two. GOLD COINS. - Gold coins are rallying, in some instance ahead of

builion. However, the patterns show insufficient support at this time to enable a test of the highs, with the possible exception of Double Eagles.

PLATINUM. - Support evident below £219 may continue to limit piatinum's downside risk. But equaily, these charts do not indicate upward potential beyood a technical

SILVER. - Silver has railled in line with the recent low indicator position, and initial suport bas now been

eatablished at 772p. ALUMINIUM. - Once again aluminium has failed to maintain the advance above £800 and is now

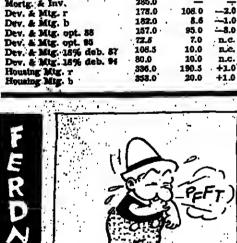
testing initial support at £760. NICKEL. - For the last six weeks

nickel has been trading sideways above initial support at £2,730.

COPPER. - Copper's rise (rom the October lows is beginning to lose upaide momentum now that the indicator has returned to a high level. The small base formation centred on £950 should limit the downward risk.

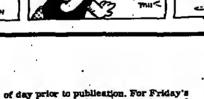
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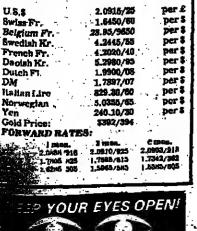
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A temptation to be resisted

THE MAYOR of Nablus, Bassam Shaka, refused to comment directly on reports that he told Aluf Danny Matt, the coordinator of operations in the administered territories, that he justified the action of the terrorists who perpetrated the bloodbath on the coastal road in March of last year.

But he did admit he said that such action could not be prevented so long as the Palestinians were oppressed and massacred, and the Palestinian question stayed unresolved.

If Mr. Shaka believes that this sort of amplification will lassen the revulsion that his comments have aroused among Jews, he is sorely mistaken.

There may be peopla abroad who bave conveniently forgotten tha almost idantical apologies for murderous "fedayeen" or Fatah outrages long before the Six Day War, when Nahlus was under tha rule of the Hashamite Kingdom of Jordan. In this country, those old axcusas are still well remambered.

But what is Israel to do ahout Mayor Shaka? Aluf Matt has rsportedly said that, "In due course, everything will be duly weighed." This sounds ominously like a threat of retaliation. But Mayor Shaka represents bls constituents. If, as many doubtless will conclude, he is consumed with hate for Israel and the Jews, then eo ara thay.

Repression will not help unless it is so complete as to destroy this country itself; and half-measures, an Israeli specialty, will only reinforce Mayor Shaka's present convictions. Setting up settlement sentinels all around Nablus — for the ostensible purpose of "living together in peace with the Arabs" - will only fan hostility beyond control.

Tha dangar of a strong-arm response to what might appear as the Shaka challenge is real enough to he warned against. Tha warning is especially timely in regard to the application of the tactic this side of the "green line," for there are indications that

it is already spreading.

Communist Knesset Mamber Tawfiq Zaayad, who is also the Mayor of Nazareth, complained this week of rough and insulting treatment at the hands of security officers at Ben-Gurion Airport, on his return from a trip abroad. The guards insisted that ba should undargo a special security check, and even his parliamantary privilege did not impress them.

Plainly, what made MK Zayyad a special target was not his heing a communist, hut simply his being an Arab — evan though an Israeli Arab, whose rights as citizen are no whit lesser than thosa of any Israeli Jew. This antire incident might strike some people as strictly an invention, if it were not known to have happened to many other Arab citizens, without regard to their political affiliation.

Such treatment of fallow citizens debases and degrades us all.

Egypt could do better

ISRAEL has been negotiating what price to pay for Egyptian oil, under the threat of an approaching deadline. The Alma fields have to be handed over in little more than a fortnight's time (on November 25, to be precise). Till then they are in our possession, and that fact is the only bargaining counter we have.

Under the Camp David agreement Egypt undertakes to supply us with petroleum "at world market prices." At issue is the interpretation of that phrase. What exactly does it mean? The danger is that we shall be exiting for a second time from oil wells in Sinai (this time from wells that we discovered and developed) before getting an answer to the cardinal question.

With his usual subtlety, President Sadat seems to be prising israel out of her strongpoint in Alma without concading the point of principle that is at stake. He agrees to let us have the oil according to the OPEC tariff - but for one year only. After that, of course. Alma will be in his hands.

What will happen thereafter is mada clear enough by Prime Minister Mustapha Khalil, who stated succinctly that 'there will be no concassions. Israel will buy Egyptian oil at the rate set in the auctions."

In other words, at the spot price; which means that deliveries from Alma, accounting for about a quarter of our oil imports, will cost us (after the first year) something like \$140 million a year more than the already high OPEC price of \$23.5 a barrel. Spot prices exceed the OPEC tariff because the oil powers are

undersupplying the market. This factor, added to uncertainties resulting from the current eccentric behaviour, to put it mildly, of the Khomeinl regime in Iran, creates a jumpy atmosphere. Spot prices used to account for less than five per cent of sales: they now account for ten or fiftean per cent.

Israel should not lose har bearings in this competitive scramble. There must be a consensus between the two sides on the meaning of the phrase "world market prices" before the Alma

oilfield is evacuated. That phrase obviously does not mean tha highest price that the Egyptians can gouga out of their customars, because had that been the intention, the reference to a world price would

have been both superfluous and misleading. Egypt argues that its commitment is not to the tariff lald down by OPEC (of which it is not a member) either. Very well, let a team of experts work out what is the weighted average prica prevailing in oil purchase transactions tha world over at

any particular momant. Israel would be required to dishurse a sum equal to the total yearly outlay made by the oil-importing countries divided by the total number of barrals purchased. The formula is a

genarous ona, considering that long-term bulk contracts are usually concluded at or near the OPEC rate, which is lower. Still, Israal ought to ba ready to pay this average figure between tariff and spot prices - and to abide by such an index

over, say, the coming 15 years. If the figure turns out to be still in excass of what Israelis might originally have been led to axpect, the fault will have to be laid at the door of those who absentmindedly neglected to take up the oil issue during the early stages of the peace negotiations with Egypt.

But for Mr. Khalil to ask for mora than that could only be seen as hreach of faith, boding trouble for the future.

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MANIPULATED MORALITY

CONTRARY TO common usage, the Greck term "hubris" does not describe valnglory or ovarweening pride, but rather wanton violence or insolance, complete moral carelessness. And there is huhris in Professor Yehoshafat Harkahi's critique of Israeli policy, which he brands "valnglorious." in his article. "The cost of hubris," in The Jarusalem Post Magazine of November 2.

I do not for one moment helieve that Prof. Harkabl Is a wanton, violent, insolent, immorai or careless person or scholar. My indictment pertains solely to the role of propbet or political pundit that he assumes in that article. Hubris against fact and truth, and even against logical debate, is what he commits in his portrayal of Israel's moral image in the eyes of the world. Ignoring many of the data he himself has presented in his many books and monographs, brilliantly dissecting and carefully recording the compopents of historical and contemporary Islamic-Arabic antipathies to Jews and Judaism in general and to Zionism and Israei in particular, he seems to have come to the conciuslon that we are indeed as "loathsome" as the Arabs and much of the rest of the world say we are and, thus, to blame for the perpetuation of the Arab-Jewish conflict.

It is true, of course, that the world disapproves of our desire to remain in Judea-Samaria, But Prof. Harkabi does not show that this majority opinion necessarily hae anything to do with morality. In fact, he indicates that he himself is aware that morality is only of secondary, if any, importance when he states the truism that we do not have the power to impose our views on the world. He under-scores the irrelevance of

'It is one thing to worry because you hear that a mob is out to lynch you; it is another thing to conclude that since they want to lynch you, you probably deserve it, writes The Post's MOSHE KOHN.

the moral consideration when he goes on to say that exceptions to what he refers to as "universal norms" - tha right to salfdetermination and the immutability of frontiers - are possible "when backed by some great power."

Altogether, Prof. Harkabi really says nothing substantive about our moral posture in the world - a world, to cite only two of many examples of its moral level, that went to great pains to vote democratically that Israel is s racist state, and which forbids South Africa to participate in the Olympic games while. permitting the Soviet Union to host them. He only offers a few unsubstantiated and mutually contradictory sweeping generalizations, followed by the advice that we ought to be in a biue funk hacause the world disapprovee of us. It is one thing to worry because you hear that a mob is out to lynch you: it is another thing to conclude that since they want to lynch you, you probably deserve it.

IN DISCUSSING the right to self-determination. Prof. Harkabi writes: "By dint of this demand. European states were forced to retreat from their colonice. Can Israel be an exception?"

Let us ignore Prof. Harkabi's advised reference to "European states." which enables him to states." overlook how some "Third World," Asian and African states have flouted this and other universal

norms in their dealings with some of . This state would have included those their own subjects and neighbours. parts of Judes and Samaria that Neither shall I bare go into the ques-tion of the Soviet Union's location, especially since, according to Prof. Harkabl's criterion, that country is exempt from adherence to any un-

iversal norme that it chooses to flout. I shall only deal with Prof. Harkabi's bubris in squating Israel's relation to what he refars to as the 'Wsst Bank" with that of the former European imperialist powers to what were their coionles.

The "West Bank" is not a foreign country that Israel "conquered," 'occupies," and seeks to "colonize." It is an integral part of historical Eretz Yisrael (the Land of Israel), and it consists of areas some of which are part of what is known historically as Judea and Samaria. (Other parts of Judea-Samaria were ailotted to the Jewish State by the United Nations partition proposal of 1947, and have always been part of

The historical connection of the Jews with this territory bad always been acknowledged by the world and was formally certified by the League of Nations whan It drew the boundaries of the Palestine Mandate.

Later, the Arabs rejected the UN partition proposal, which would have established a second Arab state in Paleetine (the first, set up un-ilaterally by the British in 80 per cent of the mandated territory, was the country today known as the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan).

parts of Judea and Samaria that Prof. Harkabi calls the "West Bank." Then the Arabs went to war against Israel. By these actions, the Arabs forfelted their rights in Western Palestine. Jordan's subsequent annexation of the "West Bank" was never recognized by anyone but Britain and Pakistan (with only Pakistan recognizing Jordan's annexation of eastern Jerusalem). Thus, when Jordan lost the "West Bank" to Israel in the aggressive war it launched against Israel in 1967, Israel regained areas that beolonged to the Jewish people in the first place and which the

Arabs had illegally beld in tha se-Israel'e possession of Judea-Samaria as legitimate owner and not as occupying power, in light of the above, has been pointed out by a number of experts in international law, not all of them Israelis or Jews, and very few of them unequivocal supporters of Gush Emunim, the Land of Israel Movement, or the Tehiya Party.

PROF. HARKABI says that "today imperialism is a dirty word." It is a dirty word only to those who define it as synonymous with "Western" and "Zionist." It does not seems to be a dirty word when it involves com-munist regimes, PLO-supporting Arab states, "Third World" coun-"non-aligned" states, and the

Prof. Harkabi says that "Israep, demand to remain in the West Bank would have been acceptable in the era of imperialism." He adds that "the Zionist enterprise" would have been completely or largely impossible "without the support of the

enlightened world." It is precisely in the era or (Wastern) imperialism that Britain the Mandatory power, with at least the tacit approval of most of the "enlightened world," tried to presovereignty anywhere in Eratz Yisrael-Palestine, and from gaining

asylum bere as fugitives from

And the establishment of Israel, opposed at the time by the ruling British statesmen and those of other 'enlightened' countries, and which some "enlightened" statemen in recent years have sald was a tragic political and moral error, marked one of the earliest stages in the dismantling of the Western empires. Furthermore, it was not the help of the "enlightened world," hut that of communist Czecholovakia, acting as agent for Soviet Russia, that enabled Israel to emerge as well as she did from the 1948 war.

Prof. Harkabi is right when he says that we do not have the physical power to impose our interpretation of history on the world. And there may be other compelling practical and moral reasons for trying as yetuntried ways to resolve the Arab-Jewish conflict. But this does not mean that we must accept as correct the historiosophy and moral judgment of a world in which communist imperiallem. OPEC. Mu ammar Gaddafi, Ayatollah Khomaini, and thair ilk in Indochina and elsewhere determine "universal norms."

READERS' LETTERS

RUSSIAN DROPOUTS To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir. - The Soviet Jewish dropout issue not only bothers many of us now, but I suspect will continue to disturb us in the foreseeable future. As I see it, nothing can be done to stop Soviet Jews from going anywhere they wish. While we un-derstandably wish our Jewlsb brethren to come here, what's so tragic about their going elsewhere? In fact when you think of it, it may be for the best.

The gut aspect of Jewish emigration from the Soviat Union is to get them out of the Russlan grip no mattar how devious the mathod. For once they are out and breathing the air of freedom I am convinced they will set thair goal as Israel, if not the present hopelessly lost generation, then their progeny. And even if not, the State of Israel will at least have gained sympathizers.

Cheers for Hiss and others who are doing their utmost to comfort the Russian Jawish dropouts.

JACE GREENFEST

RESPONSIBILITY FOR SLOW MAIL

To the Editor of The Jerusolem Post

Sir. — It saems that Israel is not the source of all ills, as B. Herman in his letter "Slow mail" (October 24) would bave us beliava. At laast two parties are responsible for tha forwarding and delivery of mail the country of origin and that at the receiving end.

I have proof, repeated weekly, that letters and printed matter sent by airmall from West Germany are always very lata, compared with postal matter eent by air from Switzerland.

Here is the latest example: a letter sent by airmall from Frankfurt bearing the postal stamp of October 8 reached me in Jerusalem on October 21 i.e. 14 days. A newspaper sent by alrmall from Basel, Switzerland, on October 17 also reached me on October 22, which is very reasonable.

MOSHE GELLER

COMFORTING ISAAC STERN

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, - I want to write some words of comfort to Isaac Stern because he has brought comfort and joy to so many Israelis and because he sounded so disheartened in the interview he gave to Jerusalem Post reporter. ian Black (October 18). In the interview, be spoke of his "hurt" and of the "tarnished dream." Ws know. It is the kind of sorrow that now weighs heavily on many Jewish hearts. We so wanted to be perfect, didn't we? But then, the fact that we are only flesh and blood shouldn't come as such a great shock.

The hope I offer is my belief that there are still enough of those who care along with Mr. Stern; who understand, and give their all to hring about the dream's promise. If we look about us, we can see them every day; ordinary people, burning with an almost boly ardour, quietly up-holding the vision, loving it, seeking to re-create and polish it; and striving to make it beautiful again. That is what makes me certain that the necessary number of righteous do cxist in Sodom and will ensure our

SUSAN ROSENBERG



WORK ETHICS

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir. - There is no doubt that Sir Marcus Sieff (October 30) bas expressed the fears that have been up-

permost in the mind of every Israeli and every well-informed Jew who has the interest of our state at heart. His words should be made compulsory reading for every civil ser-

vant, every municipal employee, every Jewisb Agency official and the tens of thousands of other leadswingers and clock-watchers who, by their attitude to "work," are in. the long run a greater danger to our existence than the enemies that surround us.

I would add to the previously mentioned list the members of the Knesset so conspicuous by their absence who have the temerity to draw a pension after their few years? MOSHE POSNER

Tel Aviv.

HALL OF HEROISM

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir. - I recently returned to the Diaspora after a sbort three-week vacation in Israel. While in ferusalem. I was told to visit the Hall of Heroism. None of my friends or relativas who had previously visited Israel had ever beard of it. I asked where it was located, and was fold on Heehln Street and Jaffa

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of the Hall of Heroism brought tears to my eyes and pride to my heart. If not for the great sacrifice of these young martyrs, we would not have a State of Israel today.

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